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FOR THE

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SUPERINTENDENT OF BROWN TAIL AND GIPSY MOTH WORK

George M. Jefts

TOWN PHYSICIAN

George W. Nickerson

WATER REGISTRAR

Fred E. Nickerson

BIRTHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

DATE		NAME	SEX	PARENT'S NAMES	OCCUPATION OF FATHER
January	3	William Joseph Corcoran	M	William J. and Anna M.	Lawyer
	5	Gertrude McDermott	F	Henry A. and Mary	Currier
	6	George Francis Smith	M	Harry W. and Margaret A.	Shoemaker
	7	Hazel Mary Dillon	F	Thomas H. and Margaret	Shoemaker
	9	Almon Elbridge Lovering	M	Stephen C. and Caroline E.	Engineer
	14	Charles Winthrop Whitcher	M	Milton D. and Julia E.	Shoemaker
	15	Ilene Louise McCall	F	William F. and G. May	Japaner
	18	Agnes Christina Williamson	F	John R. and Bertha	Laboratory
	19	Arthur Waldemar Holtzberg	M	Emil V. and Alma	Carpenter
	26	Norman Albert Smart	M	Burton H. and Mabel	Shoemaker
	27	Walter Leo Walsh	M	Morris and Lizzie	Brass Finisher
February	4	Curtis Wendall Crooker	M	Fred R. and Mary E.	Shoemaker
	5	Catherine Beatrice Morse	F	Edwin B. and Mary E.	Auctioneer
	6	Louise Leavitt	F	Winfield I. and Gertrude P.	Conductor
	12	Mildred Janet Clark	F	Ernest L. and Lottie B.	Salesman
	12	Margaret Annie Sweet	F	Fred E. and Ellen Louise	Shoemaker
	13	Angeline Govatsos	F	Constantino and Ellen	Laborer
	15	Ralph Davis Jackson	M	William E. and Florence	
	16				
	24	Aristogas Barton	M	Peter A. and Oasanna	Chemist
	24	William Henry Buzzell	M	Levi H. and Margaret	Chemist
March	2	George Robert Sweet	M	Daniel D. and Mary A.	Shoemaker
	11	George Russell Ringland	M	John H. and Ruth E.	Shoemaker
	11	Henry William Bonenfant	M	Adolph and Emma D.	Shoemaker
	19				
	19	Tony Mintoli	M	Munzio and Annie	Barber
	20				
	20	Anna Marie McNamara	F	Patrick and Mary	Auditor

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DATE	NAME	SEX	PARENT'S NAMES	OCCUPATION OF FATHER
March	21 Doris Evelyn Kelly	F	Frank A. and Elizabeth L.	Shoemaker
	22 Walter Albert Frederickson	M	Carl O. and Matilda	Clerk
	22 Pearl Adrienne Moore	F	William C. and Mary	Mechanic
	23 Thelma Elizabeth Look	F	Seth B. and Effie M.	Carpenter
	24 Malcom Townsend Munger	M	Edmund C. and Annie M.	Music Teacher
	27 Walter Ernest Longmore	M	George and S. Nettie	Manufacturer
April	12 Dorothy Ruth McManus	F	Frederick C. and Mary L.	Shoecutter
	13 Catherine Magner	F	Joseph end Catherine	Teamster
	14 Mary Finnegan	F	John E. and Hannah M.	Shoemaker
	18 Leo Joseph Leporte	M	Joseph and Mary	Shoemaker
	18 Herbert Willett	M	Louis M. and Mary E.	Merchant
	23 Richard Anderson	M	John D. and Susan E.	Moth Work
	24 Raymond Richard Roberts	M	Frank H. and Carrie J.	Brakeman
	25 Walter Robert Carl Oppen	M	William A. and Anna	Chemist
	29 Lillian Mary Turner	F	Charles A. and Lillian M.	Conductor
	30 Esther Irene Williams	F	Leonard T. and Sarah E.	Teamster
May	2 Alice Tracy	F	Patrick J. and Annie	Baker
	14 Shaky Elizabeth Ekizian	F	Charles F. and Yetima	Shoemaker
	14 Raymond Francis Ford	M	John F. and Rachel M.	Shoemaker
	18 Nora Josephine Devaney	F	Patrick C. and Margaret	Motorman
	19 Florence Gertrude Cheever	F	Walter O. and Caroline	Clerk
	20 Kenneth Holden Gilson	M	John L. and Effie C.	Shipper
	21			
	24 Mary Doris Newhall	F	Elmer E. and Mary J.	Pressman
	25 William Francis Halpin	M	Patrick and Mary	Shoemaker
	25 Paul Robert Bergholtz	M	Carl and Sigrid E.	Mechanic
	26 Robert Edmonds Hanna	M	William B. and Anna M.	Clerk
	27 Joseph Earl Hill	M	Joseph E. and Mabel	Salesman

	30	Doris Elizabeth Jeffrey	F	Arthur and Bloomie A.	Shoemaker
June	1	John Martin Roach	M	John and Katherine	Laborer
	1	Charles Alonzo Bailey Jr.	M	Charles A. and Bertha	Cashier
	3	Catherine Mumford	F	Peter and Annie	Currier
	3	Alfred B. Pearson	M	Alfred B. and Maud E.	Clerk
	5	Thomas Edward Shea	M	Thomas F. and Lizzie	Box Maker
	6	Dorothy Helen May Tobey	F	Arthur E. and Mary	Letter Carrier
	12	Elsie Laura Meagher	F	Arthur F. and Grace E.	Shoemaker
	12	Laura Ellen Morton	F	George W. and Laura A.	Teamster
	14	John Joseph Tully	M	John J. and Mary A.	Farmer
	14	Grace Helena Chambers	F	Joseph and Jennie	Box Maker
	15	Harold Martin Hanson	M	George H. and Mary J.	Clerk
	23	Edna May Dalton	F	Michael and Angeline C.	Shoemaker
	24	Doris May Lefare	F	George and Addie	Shoemaker
	29	Julius George Glaeser	M	Ernest L. and Mary E.	Machinist
July	11	Eben Joseph Stevens	M	Eben T. and Catherine	Farmer
	12	Millicent Freeman Laubenheimer	F	Ernest G. and Myrtle	Engraver
	12	Helen Lois Green	F	Frank Edgar and Bertha	Messenger
	16	Theodore Francis Doyle	M	John and Emma	Shoemaker
	20	Maurice William Carroll	M	William and Margaret	Mason
	22	Lawrence Montague	M	Thomas and Mary	Shoemaker
	27	Margaret Landolph Whittemore	F	Walter L. and Laura E	Mining Engineer
August	3	Ora Belle Schurman	F	J. Elmer and Estella	Electrician
	4	Dorothy Rines	F	Harvey W. and Edith E.	Printer
	5	Anastasia Scanlon	F	William H. and Mary J.	Shoemaker
	9	John Donald Manderson	M	John and Blanche	Fireman
	10	Thomas Edward Freeman	M	Patrick and Delia	Laborer
	12	Ralph Ellsworth Richardson	M	Frank A. and Josephine C. W.	Farmer
	12	Harold Joseph McHugh	M	Daniel and Mary M.	Brazing
	13	Mary Frances McDonough	F	James A. and Mary C.	Grocer
	14	Helen Josephine Manley	F	Edward J. and Mary	Machinist
	16	Clara Lorina Anderson	F	Charles B. and Lillian R.	Painter
	17	George Edward Grafton	M	Lewis E. and Mary G.	Chemist
	20	Gladys Elizabeth Ferland	F	Napoleon S. and Beatrice J.	Machinist

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DATE	NAME	SEX	PARENT'S NAMES	OCCUPATION OF FATHER
August 20	Rosto Bernard Hersey	M	Albert D. and Effie	Shoemaker
29	Mary Josephine Quinlan	F	William T. and Gertrude M.	Sheomaker
September 1	Gertrude Lillian Macklin	F	Herbert L. and Jennie H.	Painter
6	Margaret Mansir	F	Arthur H. and Helen G.	Chemist
8	Walter Francis Reagan	M	John J. and Julia	Oiler
10	Charles Augustus Fletcher	M	Theodore A. and Katherine M.	Shoemaker
16				
17	Harold Lane Lewis	M	Harold N. and Fannie B.	Machinist
20	John Joseph Reagan	M	Michael and Katherine	Foreman
21	Constantine Apalasis	M	James and Kaliope	Shoemaker
24	Myrtle Vivian Christy	F	Richard C. and Lillian K.	Teamster
23	George Sullivan	M	Charles A. and Julia A.	Shoecutter
24	Natalie Stevens Waitt	F	Nathaniel C. and Mabel B.	Machinist
25	Mary Rita Dulong	F	John and Frances	Mechanic
29	Mary Gertrude Quinn	F	Peter and Ellen	Shoemaker
October 1	John Norman Lawson	M	John P. and Annie L.	Die Finisher
2	James Edwin Blenkhorn	M	James and Mary C.	Physician
2	Paul Andrew Bonenfant	M	Alfred P. and Mary E.	Shoemaker
8				
10	Elwin Clayton Leavitt	M	Henry H. and Bessie B.	Shoemaker
10	Margaret McHale	F	Patrick and Mary	Roofer
11	Margaret Lillian Dionne	F	Alfred J. and Clotilda M.	Shoemaker
13	Ralph Ernest Hall	M	William E. and Ruth W.	Rubber Maker
14	Morton Ellsworth Nourse	M	Morton and Ina May	Clerk
25	Rosamond Kathleen McHale	F	John P. and Katherine	Mason
November 1				
4	Bertha May Outram	F	Albert W. and Lydia	Milk Dealer
6	Arthur Montague Smith	M	Edward M. Jr. and Mary E.	Mason

6	Jennie Pouche	F	Thomas and Rosie	Shoemaker
8	Gertrude Anastatia Rivers	F	Harry J. and Florence A.	Printer
11	Margaret Lillian Young	F	William H. and Agnes	Shoecutter
12	Harold Francis Brown	M	Charles E. and Mary A.	Shoemaker
13	James Francis Rafferty	M	James and Rose G.	Plumber
15	Gertrude Agnes White	F	Joseph H. and Janet E.	Shoemaker
15	Robert Grant Peterson	M	Frederick P. and Martha	Telegrapher
16	Weston Louis Brannen	M	Bickford Weston and Edna L.	Engineer
16	Joseph Oscar Delisle	M	Pierre and Clara	Shoemaker
19	Thure Waldo Blomberg	M	Gustave and Corrine	Baker
21	Cecelia Rose Langlier	F	Roy and Katherine	Shoemaker
24	Helene Marie Reynolds	F	Michael and Annie T.	Superintendent
25	Adzigian	M	Dirasser H. and Zaroohie	Rattan Worker
25				
26	Francis Aldrich Moulton	M	Frank C. and Georgie E.	Clerk
December 3	Wesley Wescott Nickerson	M	Horace J. and Winnifred	Sailmaker
4	Alice Jare Harnden	F	Arthur W. and Alice J.	Shoemaker
6	Margaret Rosaline Surrette	F	Louis and Rose	Shoemaker
9	Mildred Viola Martin	F	Everard C. and Maisie	Furniture Mover
11	Chester Martin Alevie Olsen	M	Martin and Bessie C.	Farmer
12	Alice Crosby	F	Henry J. and Elizabeth	Chauffeur
13	Doris May LaForrest	F	Louis W. and Alva	Carpenter
13				
18	Lillian Trout	F	George W. and Annie	Laborer
23	Adelaide May Graves	F	Alfred E. and Winnifred M.	Machinist

SUMMARY OF BIRTHS

Whole number registered	143
Males	73
Females	70

NATIVITY OF PARENTS

	FATHER	MOTHER
Stoneham	17	28
Other Cities and Towns	73	59
British Provinces	22	24
England	2	2
Ireland	8	14
Germany	1	1
Italy	3	2
Sweden	7	6
Armenia	3	3
Greece	2	2
Unknown	5	2
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MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	OCCUPATION
Jan. 6	Henry P. McLaughlin	Salem	38	Foreman
	Margaret Lillian Canty	Stoneham	36	Teacher
21	Charles E. Milner	Stoneham	24	Teamster
	Agnes L. Mosher	Stoneham	28	Operative
23	Oscar Erikson	Stoneham	24	Die Maker
	Emma Peterson	Stoneham	22	Dressmaker
29	Edward Roulle	Rochester, NH	24	Shoemaker
	Anna Isabelle Roxbee	Stoneham	20	Shoe Worker
30	George S. Johnston	Stoneham	30	Shoemaker
	Mina M. Bassett	Stoneham	30	Shoe Worker
31	Francis S. Lewis	Stoneham	22	Printer
	Addie Maude Kelley	Woburn	16	At Home
Feb. 15	Harry J. Rivers	Malden	18	Printer
	Florence A. Thompson	Stoneham	18	Operative
18	James J. McHale	Stoneham	50	Fireman
	Delia Flannery	Boston	34	Nurse
Mar. 10	Roy A. Hovey	Stoneham	21	Clerk
	Marah L. Bancroft	Stoneham	22	At Home
27	Albert H. Cochrane	Melrose	22	Student
	Hannah Estelle Noyes	Stoneham	22	At Home
Apr. 11	William E. Hall, Jr.	Stoneham	20	Box Maker
	Ruth W. Hutchinson	Stoneham	20	Operative
15	Daniel Witham	Bangor, Me.	62	Merchant
	Edith McKeen	Stoneham	43	Dressmaker
25	Charles L. Walker	Stoneham	44	Clerk
	Emma T. Purtell	Stoneham	33	At Home
May 7	John Rossa	Boston	20	Tailor
	Margaret Mullen	Stoneham	25	At Home
10	Arthur Herbert Mansir	Stoneham	31	Druggist
	Helen Gordon Clifton	Stoneham	19	At Home
12	Richard A. Dinin	Boston	22	Clerk
	Eudavilla M. Blakeley	Boston	26	At Home

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PLACE OF BIRTH	NAMES OF PARENTS	BY WHOM MARRIED
Charlestown Stoneham	Patrick and Ellen John and Margaret	W. J. Millerick Priest
Nova Scotia Nova Scotia	William and Eleanor Daniel and Nancy	C. E. Dotey Minister
Sweden Sweden	E. Gustav and Amalia Adam and Caroline	A. W. Sundslof Clergyman
Rochester, N. H. Stoneham	Louis and Lena Wm. H. and Henrietta F.	Rev. Arthur S. Beale
St. John, N. B. Malone, N. Y.	Andrew and Mary A. William and Margaret	Nathaniel B. Fisk Clergyman
Stoneham Woburn	John S. and Mary E. Joseph W. and Nellie A.	George Davies Minister
Blackstone Stoneham	Limery and Anastasia Samuel and Emma	W. J. Millerick Priest
Ireland Ireland	Patrick and Mary Michael and Bridget	John J. Garry Priest
Stoneham Stoneham	Albert S. and Ella A. Rodney N. and Viola B.	B. Alfred Dumm Clergyman
Melrose Haverhill	Maurice G. and Florence Ira S. and Georgianna	Asbury E. Krom Clergyman
Lowell Boston	Wm. E. and Georgianna and Annie	W. J. Millerick Priest
Abbott, Me. Gay's River, N. S.	Isaac and Mary J. David and Isabel	Arthur S. Beale Clergyman
Andover Woburn	John and Annie John H. and Mary A.	W. J. Millerick Priest
Italy Boston	Federico and Guiseppina John and Delia	John H. Harrigan Priest
Richmond, Me. Stoneham	Herbert and Effie J. Charles B. and Mary E.	Rev. Arthur S. Beale
Boston Halifax, N. S.	Richard A. and Annie M. John H. and Hanna A.	Charles L. Page Minister

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DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	OCCUPATION
May 18	Mihran M. Dolmajian	Stoneham	34	Dentist
	Verginia Jermagian	Stoneham	23	At Home
27	William Lewis Huber	Boston	24	Reg. Army
	Henrietta Lewis	Stoneham	20	At Home
29	Willis Bradley Brown	Stoneham	21	Laborer
	Mary Josephine Weafer	Woburn	24	At Home
29	Clifford Pond Smith	Malden	21	Stenographer
	Gladys Mildred Lovejoy	Stoneham	19	At Home
June 6	Lester L. Green	Stoneham	24	Engineer
	Ina Runnals	Stoneham	37	Housekeeper
6	George C. Campbell	Stoneham	21	Brakeman
	Margaret White	Stoneham	21	Operative
9	Walter Irving Fairbank	Westboro	38	Cutter
	Jennie Upham	Westboro	29	Waitress
10	James W. Watmough	Stoneham	45	Ins. Agent
	Mary Ellen Wilkinson	England	40	At Home
13	Dennis Conlon	Woburn	20	Felt Maker
	Josephine A. Donovan	Stoneham	24	Box Maker
15	Frederick F. Crowson	Stoneham	38	Conductor
	Louise A. Cook	Somerville	28	Stenographer
16	Horace O. Green	Stoneham	27	Machinist
	Margaret Gray Bingham	Wakefield	18	Clerk
16	Harry F. Kelley	Stoneham	20	Printer
	Mary E. Boudreau	Stoneham	28	At Home
16	J. Albert Trout	Stoneham	27	Bookkeeper
	Mary Edna Tefft	S. Kingston, RI	20	At Home
24	John Ayer	Belmont	26	Engineer
	Josephine Flint Stevens	Stoneham	26	At Home
24	Charles W. Hodgdon	Boston	32	Clerk
	Winifred J. Payson	Stoneham	20	At Home
27	Daniel McIsaac	Stoneham	23	Machinist
	Delia A. Codyer	Malden	27	At Home

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PLACE OF BIRTH	NAMES OF PARENTS	BY WHOM MARRIED
Armenia Armenia	Muggerdich and Dirouhy Hatchad'r and Houlyane	Frank A. Starratt Minister
Winchester Stoneham	Wm. Henry and Mabel John S. and Mary E.	Charles A. S. Dwight Clergyman
Stoneham Woburn	Chas. F. and Martha E. Patrick and Mary	Frank Appleton Clergyman
Worcester Stoneham	Lucius W. and Anna M. James M. and Ida E.	Nathaniel L. Colby Minister
Biddeford, Me. E. Wakefield, N. H.	Bion and Lena F. Samuel and Mary	John O. Paisley Minister
Stoneham New York	Edward E. and Mary A. Chas. L. and Katherine F.	George W. Burke Justice of the Peace
Westboro Nova Scotia	B. N. and Abbie L. Judson and Margaret	Frank A. Starratt Minister
England England	James and Jane Richard and Ann	William H. Osmond Rector
Woburn Boston	Patrick D. and Mary A. Cornelius J. and Mary	W. J. Millerick Priest
Richbucto, N. B. Windham, Me.	Wm. G. and Prudence A. Charles H. and Ellen C.	H. D. Maxwell Clergyman
Stoneham Ballardvale	Horace and Harriet S. Samuel J. and Hannah	Rufus S. Chase Minister
Stoneham Tracadia, N. S.	Frank A. and Florence N. John and Rose	John H. Harrigan Priest
Philadelphia, Penn. S. Kingstown, R. I.	John and Zaidee E. James A. and Mattie J.	Walter R. Andrews Clergyman
Oakland, Me. Stoneham	John and Mary Annabel William B. and Mary W	Charles N. Myers Minister
Milton, N. H. Lynn	George F. and Lucinda Louis F. and Anna M.	Frank W. Collier Minister
Stoneham Malden	Edward and Margaret Thomas and Catherine	P. J. Hally Priest

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DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	OCCUPATION
June 30	D. Webster Chester	Waterville Me	32	Teacher
	EdithMehitable Watkins	Stoneham	27	Teacher
30	Archibald C. Potter	Stoneham	29	San. Engineer
	Kitty Leola Scott	Kingman, Me.	27	Teacher
30	Francis Thomas Perry	Stoneham	30	Stonecutter
	May Eliz. Batchelder	Wakefield	28	Bookkeeper
30	Wallace A. Leavitt	Stoneham	37	Foreman
	Nettie M. Munroe	Stoneham	31	Clerk
July 3	George M. Colt	Haverhill	20	Shoemaker
	Ruth M. Johnston	Haverhill	18	At Home
8	William J. Brophy	Reading	52	Machinist
	Charlotte N. Tasker	Reading	52	Nurse
15	George A. Gilbert	Stoneham	63	Merchant
	Julia S. Barnes	Stoneham	52	At Home
21	Arthur E. Chorme	Boston	32	Clerk
	Cora Freeman	Boston	30	Clerk
27	Arthur H. Hoskins	Stoneham	21	Clerk
	Catherine G. Waters	Reading	26	At Home
Aug. 1	Charles E. Kenney	Stoneham	29	Shipper
	Bethia M. Perry	Stoneham	21	Box Maker
11	Augustus Charles Smart	Stoneham	30	Salesman
	Elsie May Anderson	Melrose	30	Bookkeeper
14	Irvin Wayne Chaney	Stoneham	26	Chemist
	Susie Ellen Towle	Stoneham	23	Operative
23	James Barrett	Stoneham	36	Shoemaker
	Eva P. Anderson	Stoneham	23	At Home
27	Arthur A. D'Avignon	Stoneham	41	Shoemaker
	Nellie Maria Moore	Stoneham	38	Laundress
28	Llewellyn J. Jackson	Lynn	50	Baker
	Angeline Sweetser	Stoneham	39	Operative
30	Bernard Francis Fallon	Cambridge	48	RealEstate
	Annie Corcoran	Stoneham	31	Clerk

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PLACE OF BIRTH	NAMES OF PARENTS	BY WHOM MARRIED
Noank, Conn. Paris Hill, Me.	Charles I. and Harriet George H. and Anna R.	William H. Spencer Minister
Pembroke, Me. Kingman, Me.	Philip S. A. and Tamar W. Alonzo B. and Emma F.	Rev. J. W. Hatch
Concord, N. H. Farmer, Tex.	Bennett and Mary Orville B. and Agnes	Rev. Arthur S. Beale
Stoneham, Newcastle, N. B.	John S. and Mary E. Thomas M. and Jane	F. A. Starratt Minister
Straton, Vt. Haverhill	Wm. M. and Mattie M. Newell and Flora L.	Frank A. Starratt Minister
Cumberland, Me. Danvers	Joseph and Eliza Thomas and Margaret	Frank A. Starratt Minister
Litchfield, Me. St. George, Me.	John C. and Olive A. James and Rebecca	John R. Chaffee Clergyman
England Boston	Alfred and Charlotte A. Jacob and Rebecca	Frank W. Collier Minister
Stoneham Jamaica Plain	John and Madeline James A. and Vella A.	George W. Burke Justice of the Peace
Portland, Me. Nova Scotia	Arthur L. and Agnes Benjamin and Frances C.	Rev. Arthur S. Beale
E. Boston Melrose	Chas. Albert and Eliza John H. L. and Abbie	Thos. J. Horner Clergyman
Pishon's Ferry, Me. Bar Mills, Me.	James F. and Lucy Charles and Carrie	Frank A. Starratt Minister
Covington. Ky. Melrose	Thomas F. and Margaret Frank M. and Etta M.	Leverett D. Holden Justice of the Peace
Boston Bath, Me.	Alex. and Henrietta F. John B. and Alice N.	Frank W. Collier Minister
Natick Stoneham	Wm. L. and Betsy A. Lot S. and Betsy	Frank W. Collier Minister
Cambridge Stoneham	Bernard and Bridget William J. and Julia	Wm. J. Millerick Priest

MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	OCCUPATION
Sept. 5	Francis C. Desmond	Stoneham	24	Shoecutter
	Ella M. Driscoll	Stoneham	26	At Home
5	Thomas John Joyce	Stoneham	38	Shoemaker
	Catherine Eliz. Hardy	Stoneham	19	At Home
13	William M. Gould	New York	30	Elec. Eng.
	F. Hazel Ervin	Stoneham	27	At Home
15	Joseph D. Wales	Randolph	29	Clerk
	Ella A. Crowson	Stoneham	28	At Home
19	Henry P. Desmond	Stoneham	26	Shoecutter
	Della L. Laffey	Lynn	24	At Home
20	Sumner E. Barnstead	Stoneham	32	Janitor
	Lelia M. Marshall	Wakefield	32	At Home
30	Ellis Nathan Melendy	Reading	26	Teamster
	Lillian E. Shorter	Reading	25	Rattan Work
Oct. 6	James R. Breagy	Stoneham	28	Teamster
	Annie Eliz. Murphy	Melrose	23	At Home
6	Erle R. White	Stoneham	27	Salesman
	Louise J. Dorr	Stoneham	25	At Home
14	George C. Parcher, M.D.	Saugus	38	Physician
	Ethel Hay Graham	Stoneham	24	At Home
16	Walter P. Houston	Stoneham	23	Draftsman
	Sarah M. Crockett	Portland, Me.	21	Printer
16	William McMan	Stoneham	42	Cleaner
	Ellen A. Clark	Stoneham	39	Shoe Worker
23	Fernard E. Webber	Stoneham	21	Shoecutter
	Flora Ameiro	Stoneham	22	Box Maker
28	Leonard N. Nichols	Stoneham	52	Shoemaker
	Hattie Jane Lord	Belmont	34	Dressmaker
31	Charles Pitkerwich	Stoneham	40	Farmer
	Melvina Matechun	Stoneham	20	Domestic
Nov. 6	M. Edward Perry	Stoneham	20	Last Puller
	Maude Dulong	Reading	19	Operative

MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

PLACE OF BIRTH	NAMES OF PARENTS	BY WHOM MARRIED
Stoneham Stoneham	John and Ellen John H. and Eliza	John H. Harrigan Priest
Stoneham Walpole	Patrick and Mary James and Martha	John H. Harrigan Priest
Nova Scotia Stoneham	Mathew A. and Ellen F. Richard and Flora E.	John W. Ward Clergyman
Randolph Boston	Henry J. and Alma B. Wm. G. and Prudence A.	Frank W. Collier Minister
Stoneham Newport, R. I.	John and Ellen Luke and Mary	J. C. Harrington Priest
Stoneham Gloucester	Richard W. and Emma C. Horace and Emma A.	Austin Rice Minister
Ireland Ireland	Joseph D. and Mary J. James W. and Elizabeth	Frank W. Collier Minister
Stoneham Melrose	William and Elizabeth Edward and Annie	Daniel J. Carney Priest
Bangor, Me. Stoneham	Harry C. and Sarah E. John F. and Mary E.	Wm. Edmund Dowty Clergyman
Saco, Me. Stoneham	George and Emma Charles H. and Mary E.	Charles N. Myers Minister
Malden Portland, Me.	Charles A. and Julia A. Willis B. and Carrie E.	Abiel H. Wright Clergyman
Melrose Stoneham	Philip and Mary Michael and Julia	George W. Burke Justice of the Peace
N. Shapleigh, Me. Nova Scotia	Everett and Ine Ambrose and Mary	W. J. Millerick Priest
Stoneham S. Boston	Leonard W. and Ann J. John G. and Prudence E.	Allen C. Keith Clergyman
Russia Russia	Augustine and Frances Bernard and Catherine	Rev. Thos. Zollinskie
Adams Reading	Joseph and Emeline Reuben and Mary	Denis F. Lee Priest

MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	OCCUPATION
Nov. 6	Harley C. Dushane	Stoneham	21	Shoemaker
	Annie Hardy	Stoneham	17	At Home
14	William T. Quinlan	Stoneham	18	Shoemaker
	Gertrude M. Latham	Stoneham	15	At Home
14	Arthur Mohan	Stoneham	26	Blacksmith
	Addie Metevear	Stoneham	36	At Home
19	Samuel Dulong	Stoneham	28	Carpenter
	Theresa Froton	Stoneham	35	Housework
20	Thomas W. Emerson	Woburn	38	Agent
	Alice Louise Kenney	Stoneham	34	Domestic
21	Edward V. Scero	Boston	26	Electrician
	Ann E. Donovan	Stoneham	22	Box Maker
23	Michael Connell	Stoneham	23	Teamster
	Nora Roach	Stoneham	29	Domestic
24	Charles F. Hayward	Stoneham	25	Expressman
	Marion Mabel Trites	Lowell	19	At Home
24	George E. Kendall	Stoneham	30	Foreman
	Mary Isabel Stone	Wakefield	25	Operative
24	Luther G. Willis	Melrose	22	Foreman
	Sarah E. Harrison	Stoneham	22	At Home
25	Harry A. Moffitt	Stoneham	25	Telephone
	Minnie B. Hamer	No. Adams	21	At Home
28	Clarence Eugene Brown	Peabody	50	Farmer
	Harriet Eva Feltch	Stoneham	53	Housework
Dec. 4	Clifford S. French	E. Boston	29	Dredgeman
	Mary J. Punch	E. Boston	24	Choc. Dipper
4	Herbert Walter Hudson	Medford	39	Confectioner
	Nellie Etta Conant	Stoneham	35	At Home
16	Alfred Martin	Stoneham	33	Hostler
	Ruth Hamilton	Stoneham	37	At Home
19	Alfred Levi Gay	Stoneham	23	Shoemaker
	Helen Lillian Barry	Stoneham	19	At Home

MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

PLACE OF BIRTH	NAMES OF PARENTS	BY WHOM MARRIED
Rutland, Vt. Stoneham	Thomas and Lucretia Michael and Annie	W. J. Millerick Priest
Stoneham Wakefield	John H. and Mary Wm. A. and Josephine	John H. Harrigan Priest
Ireland Stoneham	Michael and Bridget Samuel and Mary	W. J. Millerick Priest
Yarmouth, N. S. Yarmouth, N. S.	Samuel and Madeline Damien and Marian	W. J. Millerick Priest
Boothbay, Me. Boston	Thomas B. and Mary Owen and Mary A.	W. J. Millerick Priest
Canada Boston	Joseph and Rose Cornelius J. and Mary	John H. Harrigan Priest
Ireland Ireland	Thomas and Catherine Michael and Helen	W. J. Millerick Priest
Roxbury Lowell	Arthur F. and Harriet I. James N. and Mary R.	George F. Kengott Clergyman
Somerville New York	James E. and Mary C. George and Josie	F. S. Hunnewell Clergyman
Kewanee, Ill. No. Adams	Alonzo and Mary I. Harry R. and Alice I.	T. E. Beetfield Clergyman
So. Walpole Stoneham	Albert A. and Georgia F. William M. and Lillian	George B. Titus, Minister
Lynnfield Winchester	John S. and Lucinda F. John B. and Elizabeth L.	Geo. N. Green Justice of the Peace
Sandypoint, Me. Boston	Edward and Lottie David and Margaret	Arthur S. Beale Clergyman
Hudson Stoneham	Albert J. and Lizzie L. Calvin H. and Susie L.	Dorr A. Hudson Minister
Nova Scotia Nova Scotia	William and Prune William and Harriett	George Davies Minister
Woburn Charlestown	Alfred and Ida John and Catherine M.	Charles A. Feyhl Justice of the Peace

MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	OCCUPATION
Dec. 22	Charles Lewis Ryder	Woburn	24	Iron Moulder
	Gertrude M. Whelan	Stoneham	21	Shoe Worker
26	John Edward Lilley	Stoneham	22	Teamster
	Elizabeth F. Fleming	Wakefield	22	At Home
26	John E. O'Sullivan	Stoneham	47	Clerk
	Ella Louise Corcoran	Stoneham	33	Forelady
	Stephen Joseph Power	Arlington	22	Printer
31	Mary Caroline Sullivan	Stoneham	24	Private Sec.

SUMMARY OF INTENTIONS OF MARRIAGE

Whole number 75

NATIVITY

	MALE	FEMALE
Stoneham	17	18
Other Cities and Towns	42	42
British Provinces	7	8
England	1	1
Ireland	3	2
Sweden	1	1
Armenia	2	2
Italy	1	0
Russia	1	1
	75	75

MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

PLACE OF BIRTH	NAMES OF PARENTS	BY WHOM MARRIED
Wakefield E. Weymouth	Charles H. and Annie John and Mary	John H. Harrigan Priest
Stoneham Gardner	Dennis and Margaret Stephen and Bessie	John F. Meheran Priest
Wakefield Stoneham	Jeremiah J. and Ellen W. Cornelius and Margaret	W. J. Millerick Priest
Arlington Woburn	Patrick J. and Lucy M. Jeremiah G. and Mary J.	W. J. Millerick Priest

SUMMARY OF MARRIAGES

Whole Number	84
Number of Widowers	8
Number of Widows	6
Number of Divorced Males	3
Number of Divorced Females	4
Oldest Male	63
Oldest Female	53
Youngest Male	18
Youngest Female	15

NATIVITY

	MALE	FEMALE
Stoneham	17	20
Other Cities and Towns	51	47
British Provinces	6	10
England	2	1
Ireland	4	3
Sweden	1	1
Italy	1	0
Armenia	1	1
Russia	1	1
	84	84

DEATHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

DATE		NAME	AGE			PARENT'S NAMES	CAUSE OF DEATH
January	1	Byron W. Howard	73			J. Harrison and Elvira E.	Heart
	4	Charlotte A. Goodness	63	5	28	Jesse and Charlotte A.	Strangulation
	4	Elizabeth Hogan	67			Arthur and Ann	Pneumonia
	5	George W. Johnson	60	3	15	and Nancy	Carcinoma Liver
	10	Adeline McKnight	57			Seward and Martha C.	Carcinoma Rect.
	13	Alfred B. Measures	80	4	19	Daniel and Margaret	Pneumonia
	14	Charles Smith	68	9	18	Daniel and Marguerite	Cancer Rect.
	16	Nathan Adams	63	5	8	Charles and Caroline	Apoplexy
	16	James Conway	79			Thomas and	Intest. Obstruction
	16	Martin J. King	70	2		Martin and Bridget	Cancer Stomach
	19	William Keating	77			James and	Bronchitis
	21	Sophia Melvin Bryant	62			Adrian and Caroline	Heart
	25	Vivian Lucile Chatel	5	3	20	Prosper and Lucile	Convulsions
	27	George W. Freeman	59			Charles and	Carcinoma
February	1	John W. Monahan	31			Patrick and Ann	Consumption
	5	Sarah S. Marsh	81	2	18	Warren and Sally	Cancer Liver
	8	Alice A. Geddes	82	6	25	Eric and Maria	Paralysis
	11	Charles O. Scott	63			Charles O. and	Kidneys
	11	James E. Morse	21	6	14	Ernest E. and Maude G.	Fract. Skull
	17						
	19	James Govathos	1	5		Thomas and Helen	Tuberculosis
	19	Mary Ann Cohen	67			James and Catherine	Mitral Sten.
	22	Adelia Lurvey	82			Richard and	Bronco Pneu.
	23	Mehitable M. Chase	80			William and R.	Carcinoma
March	4	Sarah Elizabeth Lewis	79	7	3	Seth and Sarah	Pneumonia
	9	Charles Currier Beale	44	10	6	Nathan and	Heart
	9	Catherine J. Manning	42			David and Mary	Tuberculosis
	10	Charlotte B. Leathe	67	9	9	Paul and Caroline	Apoplexy

	11	Ann Judson Davison	76	4	6	Asa and Sally W.	Pertencephalitis
	13	Elizabeth A. Glover	13		24	John and Jane M.	Appendicitis
	18	John L. Patchett	70	8	1	John and Martha	Heart
	18	Jeremiah W. Fallon	13	6	4	William J. and Nora F.	Rheumatism
	20						
	27	Patrick Finnegan	68			Patrick and Ann	Apoplexy
	27	Autencia E. Harris	60		28	Julius and Persis	Myocarditis
	31	Elizabeth Chase Knight	68	5	18	Isaac and Louisanna	Apoplexy
	31	Clarence Herbert Fogg	47	11	25	David and Mary Jane	Apoplexy
April	3	Mary Jane Massey	76	5	28	William and Elizabeth	Paresis Brain
	15	Laura A. Patten	68	11	14	Kimball and Charlotte	Myoma Uteri
	23	Andrew Woodbury	55	7	24	Andrew and Martha	Heart
	24	Ralph Whitney Darling	25	4	1	Thomas W. and Delia H.	Consumption
	26	Alfonso L. Hallett	42	9		Orin S. and Mary	Mitral Regur.
May	10	Marianna Marden	59	9	13	Willis and Mary A.	Anæmia
	21	Franklin B. Jenkins	71	9	28	Joseph and Olive	Tumor of Bladder
	21						
	28	Ethel M. Robbins	36	1	5	Josiah and Sophia	Cancer
	30	James P. Fallon	46			John and Margaret	Heart
June	3	Martha W. Brown	87	1	27	Nathan and	Apoplexy
	4	Elias B. Waitt	82	3	2	Samuel and Harriet	Nephritis
	8	William Cronin	1	1	11	Cornelius and Laretta	Poliomyelitis
	10	Nathan C. Mitchell	67	7	14	Edward and Ruth	Shock
	13	Herbert C. Richardson	67	7	12	George W. and Amanda	Bright's Disease
	18	George E. Spiller	54	4		William T. and Elizabeth	Hemaplegia
	21	Alfred B. Pearson			18	Alfred B. and Maude E.	Inanition
	21	Adelaide T. Dike	66			Franklin and Lucy	Myocarditis
	22	George S. Coburn	62	6		Jonathan and Phelina	Heart
	22						
	23	George H. Goodwin	60	9	27	Henry S. and Martha A.	Bright's Disease
	23	Sarah S. Stevens	70	7		Martin and Jane	Septicemia
	24	Alfred Belcher	70	6	13	Joseph and Elizabeth C.	Suicide
	28	Jennie Barton	51	3	23	George and Mary A.	Anæmia
July	3	Maud B. Howard	49			William and Bedbeta	Cancer of Ut,

DEATHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR 1909

DATE	NAME	AGE	PARENT'S NAMES	CAUSE OF DEATH
July 12	Elizabeth H. Daniels	93 5 20	Enoch and Sarah	Old Age
14	Mary Ann Gardner	85 6 14	Thomas and Ellen	Bronchitis
14	Willie E. Whittier	50 17	Edward T. and Elizabeth	Pericarditis
18	John Francis Sprague	66 2 9	John and Martha A.	Consumption
23	William Costello	61 3	James and Bridget	Chron. Bright's
28	Mary Jane Avery	80	Asa C. and Mary W.	Apoplexy
29	Florence Isabelle Parsons	1 1 19	Eugene and Isabelle	Dysentery
August 1	Isabella M. Claffy	61	Patrick and Ann	Apoplexy
9	Peter Mercier	81 2	John and	Septicemia
16	Mabel T. Duffy	4 2 6	Thomas J. and Margaret W.	Appendicitis
19	George R. Young	36 6 6	William B. and Catherine J.	Pleurisy
21	Susan Louise Keene	59 5 9	George W. and Susan A.	Cancer
23	William P. Howe	65 11 1	Abel and Unice	Aortic Stenosis
28	Patrick McGowan	22	John and Bridget	Dysentery
September 2	Lizzie A. Powers	32 5 7	Mathew and Ellen	Pul. Tuberculosis
7	Rachel A. Smith	60 4 2	James and Rachel A.	Angina Pect.
13	George Dexter Marston	75	Nathaniel and Martha B.	Apoplexy
16				
20	Susan B. Cochran	84 8 10	William and Susan	Marasmus
21	Thomas Hill	74 10 20	Thomas G. and Martha	Apoplexy
22	August Brueggeman	76 28		Nephritis
25	Henry P. Barnes	61	Dennis and Elvira	Bright's Disease
October 1	John Henry Leach	44 14	Dennis and Mary	Asphyxia
7	Janet Curry	70 8 4	William and Isabelle	Bronchitis
8				
9	Uriah H. Smith	72 3 9	Archelaus and Mary	Acute Indigestion
11	Gladys Elizabeth Ferland	1 22	Napoleon S. and Beatrice	Inanition
12	John Angus Fraser	64 8 22	Mark and Marguerite	Bright's Disease

	13	Flora E. Ervin	57	3	12	Cyrus and Rebecca	Cancer
	14	Ruth C. Billings	17	8		Robert E. and Laura B.	Consumption
	18	Honora Cody	77			William and Honora	Mitral Stenosis
	20	Ira A. Shattuck	63	7	26	Hanson and Lucy	Heart
	22	Delia Blodgett	39	4	29	Moses and Adeline	Sarcoma
	22	William Butler	80	4	16	Richard and Sarah	Nephritis
	26	Anastasia Scanlon		3		William H. and Mary	Inanition
November	2						
	7	Catherine A. Crosby	74	11	2		Mitral Stenosis
	9	Margaret V. Bekkenhuis	46			Michael and Mary	Pul. Tuberculosis
	14	Mary E. McCarty	39	7		John and Bridget	Exoph. Goeter
	15	William H. Weed	48	10	28	Samuel S. and Mary	Mitral Stenosis
	29	Levi J. Munger	75	4	22	Philander and Abigail	Artero Sclerosis
December	5	Alice J. Harnden	27			Charles T. and Anna M.	Hemorrhage
	7	Daniel Hill	79	5	26	Daniel and Nancy	Apoplexy
	13						
	13	Catherine Carroll	37			Mathew and Bridget	Shock
	15	Fannie C. Josselyn	17	2	28	Hiram P. and Fannie J.	Nephritis
	16	Sarah Atkinson	83	2		John and	Arterio Sclerosis
	28	Emily L. Richardson	75	3	24	Charles and Mary	Myocarditis

SUMMARY OF DEATHS

Whole number registered			110
Average Age 55 Males			52
Average Age 55 Females			51
	MALE	FEMALE	
Number Under 1 Year of Age	4	7	
" Between 1 and 5 Years of Age	2	2	
" " 5 " 10 " " "	0	1	
" " 10 " 15 " " "	1	1	
" " 15 " 20 " " "	0	2	
" " 20 " 30 " " "	3	1	
" " 30 " 40 " " "	2	5	
" " 40 " 50 " " "	6	3	
" " 50 " 60 " " "	4	5	
" " 60 " 70 " " "	15	11	
" " 70 " 80 " " "	14	8	
" " 80 " 90 " " "	4	8	
" " 90 " 100 " " "	0	1	
	55	55	
Soldiers in Civil War			7

Town Meetings

Adjourned Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, January 6, 1909.

In accordance with the vote of adjournment passed Wednesday, December 16, 1908, the Moderator called the meeting to order at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 2.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of fourteen hundred and sixty dollars and ninety-three cents for the purpose of continuing the work of destroying the eggs, pupæ and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths in the highways and public lands of the town.

Voted, To adjourn.

Town Meeting

MONDAY, March 1, 1909.

Charles A. Owen was elected Moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk.

Charles A. Stone, William P. Martsch, Charles H. Turnbull, Charles P. Brawley, James H. Fitzpatrick, John W. Kelley, Clarence S. Lynde, C. Henry Severance, George W. Newhall, Herbert G. Daley, Leon E. Blodgett, and Bernard W. Halpin, Tellers, having been appointed by the Selectmen, as required by law, were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk.

The first set of ballots was delivered to the Ballot Clerks, who gave a receipt for the same, the ballot box opened, inspected, the register set at 0, locked, and the keys given in charge of the Constable; after which the polls were declared open to receive ballots under articles 2 and 3 of the warrant.

Voted, That when this meeting adjourn it be until Friday, March 12, 1909, to meet in Armory Hall at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Voted, To close the polls open under articles 2 and 3 at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Voted, That all action under this warrant, excepting under articles 1, 2 and 3, be postponed until the odjourned meeting Friday, March 12, 1909.

The Moderator appointed as additional Tellers to assort and count the ballots, the following persons, who were sworn by the Town Clerk:

Perley A. Blood, Winthrop C. Whiting, Wilbur W. Chapman, George A. Hersam, Charles H. Biganess, Parker I. Hutchins, Lawrence J. Fedigan, James H. Conley, Fred E. Kerns, William F. Maguire, Edward J. Donohue Jr., George B. McKenna.

By unanimous consent of the Moderator and Town Clerk, at two o'clock in the afternoon the ballot box was opened and ballots taken therefrom for the purpose of counting.

Three "Holt Counting Apparatus" were used in counting the ballots, two Republican and two Democratic Tellers assigned to each.

At four o'clock in the afternoon, in accordance with the vote previously taken, the Moderator declared the polls closed, at which time the ballot box registered 21, as ascertained by the Town Clerk, the register being out of order.

The check list at the gate had the names of twelve hundred and seventy-two persons checked as having received ballots.

Men	1248
Women	24

The check lists at the ballot box had the names of twelve hundred and seventy-two persons checked as having voted.

Men	1248
Women	24

The number of ballots given out by the ballot clerks was twelve hundred and seventy-two.

Men	1248
Women	24

The number of ballots not given out and returned to the Town Clerk was nine hundred and fifty-two.

Men	576
Women	376

The number of ballots given out under article 3 of the warrant was twelve hundred and forty-eight.

The number of names checked of persons having voted under article 3 of the warrant was seven hundred and two.

The number of ballots taken from the ballot box was twelve hundred and seventy-two, cast by

Men	1248
Women	24

All the ballots cast having been assorted and counted by the Tellers appointed for that purpose, and the same tabulated and proved, declaration was made as follows:

BALLOTS CAST

Whole number	1272
Men	1248
Women	24

TOWN CLERK, 3 years

George N. Green	979
Charles A. Owen	1
Blank	292

George N. Green was declared elected and sworn by the Moderator.

TOWN TREASURER

Fred E. Nickerson	961
Blank	311

SELECTMEN

John A. Alden	452
George R. Barnstead	669
Charles F. Buck	729
Arthur F. Keenan	533
Arthur N. Newhall	680
Blank	753

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, 3 years

Joseph W. Holden	600
Ralph R. Patch	607
George H. Spooner	1
Blank	64

ASSESSOR, 3 years

Alfred P. Rhoades	831
Leander V. Colahan	1
William W. Boyce	1
Blank	439

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Walter C. Bancroft	835
John G. Beede	860
Sylvester A. Lawrence	871
W. Brooks	1
John L. White	1

R. Williamson	1
W. Rogers	1
Thomas Holden	1
Blank	1245

BOARD OF HEALTH, 3 years

James Blenkhorn, M. D.	502
Martyn D. Sheehan, M. D.	581
Blank	189

TAX COLLECTOR

Sylvester A. Lawrence	816
B. Reynolds	1
John Dalton	1
Arthur W. Rice	1
Blank	453

CONSTABLES

Walter H. George	367
Sumner H. Green	814
James J. Scally	776
John C. C. Small	813
John Mahar	1
J. O'Brien	1
Blank	1044

TREE WARDEN

Walter H. George	445
George M. Jefts	585
Blank	242

AUDITORS

Fred H. Chase	815
Thomas S. Ireland	824
John W. Kelley	1
Blank	904

PARK COMMISSIONER, 3 years

John Walsh	804
William Lamb	1
Blank	467

SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 3 years

Wilfred A. Smith	855
Charles G. Burbank	3
Blank	414

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY, 3 years

George A. Hinchcliffe	756
Benjamin J. Hinds	767
Charles A. Carby	7
Blank	1014

TRUSTEE OF LINDENWOOD CEMETERY, 5 years

Fred E. Nickerson	869
Blank	403

"Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this town?"

Yes	297
No	753
Blank	222
Majority for "No"	456

"Shall an Act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and eight, entitled, 'An Act Relative to Vacations of Members of Police Departments, Except in the City of Boston,' be accepted by this town?"

Yes	421
No	161
Blank	690

ARTICLE 3

"Shall an Act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and eight, entitled, 'An Act to Provide for the Protection of Forest or Sprout Lands From Fire' be accepted by this town?"

Yes	592
No	84
Blank	26

Voted, To adjourn, to meet in Armory Hall Friday, the twelfth day of March, A. D. 1909, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Recount of Ballots Cast for Joseph W. Holden and Ralph R. Patch for Commissioner of Public Works, Monday, March 1, 1909

PETITION

To the Town Clerk and to the Registrars of Voters of the Town of Stoneham:

We, the undersigned legal voters of the town of Stoneham, believing that Joseph W. Holden received more votes than were accredited to him for Commissioner of Public Works at the town meeting held Monday, March 1, 1909, and Ralph R. Patch received less votes than were accredited to him for Commissioner of Public Works, voted for as aforesaid, hereby respectfully petition for a recount of all the votes cast for said Holden and Patch for said office.

William J. Corcoran, Jr.,
66 Central Street, Stoneham.
Henry Y. Wiggin,
6 Summer Street, Stoneham.
Joseph A. Keenan,
7 Pine Street, Stoneham.

LINWOOD L. GOVE,
5 Hill Street, Stoneham.
CHARLES H. PARSONS,
7 Prospect Street, Stoneham.
ALFRED N. THEOBALD,
196 Main Street, Stoneham.
LEVI A. HOLDEN,
12 Perkins Street, Stoneham.
FRANK G. WILEY,
29 North Street, Stoneham.
JAMES A. JONES,
66 Pleasant Street, Stoneham.
WILLIAM B. PARKER,
74 High Street, Stoneham.

Stoneham, March 1, 1909.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
MIDDLESEX SS.

STONEHAM, March 1, 1909.

Then personally appeared Henry Y. Wiggin, a subscriber to the above petition, and made oath that the above statement subscribed by him is true, before me.

WILLIAM J. CORCORAN, JR.,
Justice of the Peace.

Filed March 1, 1909, BY HENRY Y. WIGGIN.

Copy Attest: GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

RECOUNT

In accordance with the foregoing petition, the ballots were delivered to the Registrars of Voters, and all parties interested having been notified as required by law, the Registrars of Voters met in the Selectmen's office Saturday, March 6, 1909, at 2.15 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose set forth in said petition.

The meeting was called to order by Jason B. Sanborn, Chairman.

William J. Corcoran, Jr., appeared as counsel for Joseph W. Holden, and Luther Hill as counsel for Ralph R. Patch.

Alfred P. Rhoades was appointed by the Board to check the tally sheets.

The blocks of ballots were opened, canvassed, sealed and endorsed, as required by law, and the following certificate filed with the Town Clerk:

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRARS OF VOTERS
STONEHAM, MASS., March 6, 1909.

TO THE TOWN CLERK, STONEHAM, MASS.

DEAR SIR :—On petition of William J. Corcoran Jr., and others, praying for a recount of the ballots cast Monday, March 1, 1909, for Joseph W. Holden and Ralph R. Patch for Commissioner of Public Works, after due notice to all parties interested, the Board of Registrars met in the Selectmen's office Friday, March 5, 1909, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, and adjourned until Saturday, March 6, 1909, to meet at 2 o'clock and fifteen minutes in the afternoon.

In accordance with the adjournment voted March 5, 1909, the Registrars met in the Selectmen's office at the time therein stated. Joseph W. Holden, with William J. Corcoran, Jr., as counsel and Ralph R. Patch with Luther Hill as counsel, were present. The ballots were delivered to the Board, and counted, with the following results:

Joseph W. Holden	598
Ralph R. Patch	606

The election of Ralph R. Patch, as declared at the meeting Monday, March 1, 1909, stands.

JASON B. SANBORN,
FRED E. KERNS,
GEORGE N. GREEN,
Registrars of Voters.

Copy Attest: GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

Adjourned Town Meeting

FRIDAY, March 12, 1909.

Meeting called to order by Moderator Charles A. Owen.

ARTICLE 4

Chose Arthur N. Newhall, Charles F. Buck and George R. Barnstead Fence Viewers.

Chose Charles W. Messer, Robert H. Messer and Frank H. Reynolds Undertakers.

Voted, That the appointment of Pound Keeper, Field Drivers, Measurers of Leather, Measurers of Wood and Bark and Weighers of Coal and Hay be left with the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, To accept the Reports of Town Officers and Committees as printed, dated December 31, 1908.

Voted, That the matter of appointing a Finance Committee for the ensuing year be laid upon the table.

ARTICLE 6

Voted, That action on the report of the Committee on Revision of the By-Laws be postponed until action had been taken on all other articles in the warrant.

ARTICLE 7

Voted, To raise and appropriate the following sums to defray town charges for the year ensuing:

Poor Department, receipts and	$5,216.56
Lighting, receipts and	4,464.64
Rent of Offices, receipts and	672.00
Military Aid	150.00
Highways, Franchise Tax and	6,000.00
Town Debt	7,000.00
Interest	5,809.24

Lindenwood Cemetery	$280.68
Old Cemetery	35.00
Breaking Snow	1,072.36
Miscellaneous	3,027.77
Police	3,100.00
Schools, receipts and	32,500.00
School Physician	61.00
Fire Department	5,000.00
Soldiers' Relief	2,938,77
Printing Town Reports	300.00
Care of Shade Trees	200.00
Salaries, Town Clerk	700.00
" Auditors	300.00
" Overseers of Poor	300.00
" Board of Health	175.00
" Assessors	900.00
" Sealer of Weights and Measures	100.00
" Selectmen	300.00
" Tax Collector	650.00
" Inspector of Plumbing	300.00
" Moderator	25.00
" Town Treasurer	500.00
" Board of Public Works	300.00
" Registrars of Voters	125.00
" Janitor	150.00

ARTICLE 8

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred and seventy-five dollars for repairs and decoration of Soldiers' graves the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 9

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of seventeen hundred dollars, and to appropriate the receipts of the year 1909, for the purchase of books and for the support of the Free Public Library and Reading Room for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 10

Voted, To appropriate the money received for the licenses of dogs for the purchase of books and for the support of the Free Public Library and Reading Room for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 11

Voted, That for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Stoneham, in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time, with the approval of a majority of the Board of Selectmen, a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate one hundred thousand dollars, and to execute the note or notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the present municipal year.

ARTICLE 12

Voted, To authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which the Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

ARTICLE 13

Voted, To grant the free use of Armory Hall to Post 75, G. A. R., six evenings in the coming year when not otherwise engaged.

ARTICLE 14

Voted, To grant the free use of Armory Hall to Leon E. Warren Camp 31, U. S. W. V., five evenings in the coming year when not otherwise engaged.

ARTICLE 15

Voted, To grant the free use of Armory Hall to the

High School Alumni Association one evening in the coming year when not otherwise engaged.

ARTICLE 16

Voted, To grant the free use of Armory Hall to the Stoneham High School Cadets two evenings in the coming year when not otherwise engaged.

ARTICLE 17

Voted, That all taxes not exceeding three dollars in amount shall be due and payable on demand. On all taxes exceeding three dollars in amount, one and one-half per cent. discount shall be allowed if paid on or before the tenth day of September; if paid on or before the tenth day of October, one per cent. discount shall be allowed; if paid on or before the tenth day of November, one-half of one per cent. discount shall be allowed, and all taxes exceeding three dollars in amount shall be due and payable on the tenth day of December of the current year. On and after December tenth, interest shall be charged on all unpaid taxes at the rate of five per centum per annum. On the fifteenth day of February following, the Collector shall proceed to collect taxes of all delinquents according to law. Interest and discount shall be reckoned on even dollars.

ARTICLE 18

Voted, To water the following streets the year ensuing: Main street from Marble street to Elm street; Franklin street from Central Square to a point sixty feet east of Pine street; Central street from Central Square to Pomeworth street; Winter street; Church street; Common street; Tidd street, and Montvale avenue from Main street to the westerly line of land formerly of Georgianna Boyce.

Voted, That the assessment on abuttors for watering streets, as voted, be three cents per lineal foot.

ARTICLE 19

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars for the use of the Board of Health in enforcing the rules and regulations of the Board, and for such other purposes as may be necessary in carrying out the work of the Board for the ensuing year.

Voted, To adjourn to meet in Armory Hall, Friday, March 19, 1909, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Adjourned Town Meeting

FRIDAY, March 19, 1909.

Meeting called to order by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, That a committee of fifteen persons be chosen to investigate the condition of this town's affairs, with special reference to its income and expenditures as compared to towns of similar population and valuation; said committee shall report the result of its investigations as expeditiously as possible; and shall file its final report on or before the town meeting in March 1910; and officials and employees of the town are directed to furnish such committee all assistance and information required by them; such committee is especially directed to consider and report to the town the expediency of any legislation for the consolidation or abolition of any existing town board or officers, or for other purposes.

The following persons were named and chosen the committee under the foregoing vote: J. Alden Stockwell, John W. Cawley, Leander V. Colahan, George A. Hersam, William P. Fletcher, Lorenzo D. Hawkins, Arthur F. Keenan, James W. MacDonald, John A. Alden, William J. Corcoran Jr., William B. Snow, Joseph W. Holden, John S. Lewis, Bernard H. Cogan and Benjamin J. Hinds.

ARTICLE 7

Voted, To appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars, said sum to be taken from the appropriation for miscellaneous expenses, to be expended for the services of an expert accountant to aid the committee of fifteen chosen under article 5, in its investigation.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars for street railing the ensuing year.

Voted, To appropriate the receipts from the sale of grass, lots or from other sources in Lindenwood Cemetery for the care and support of said Lindenwood Cemetery for the year ensuing.

A motion was made, "That until such time as the town shall vote otherwise, the Town Treasurer shall and hereby is authorized and empowered to collect all water rates for the town and that his compensation therefor shall be paid from the income of the water department, and that the amount of said compensation shall for the year ensuing be two hundred dollars."

The point was raised, "That the town could not appropriate the receipts for water for this purpose," and a ruling on the question asked for.

The Moderator ruled, "That the town can appropriate money from receipts from water to pay its employees."

William J. Corcoran, Jr., appealed from the decision of the Moderator.

The question, "To sustain the decision of the chair," being tried, was declared lost, which, being doubted, a count of hands was ordered which resulted as follows:

Voting in affirmative	157
Voting in negative.	144

ARTICLE 4

Voted, That until such time as the town shall vote otherwise, the Town Treasurer shall and hereby is authorized and empowered to collect all water rates for the town.

ARTICLE 7

A motion was made "That the compensation of the Town Treasurer for collecting the water rates shall be paid from the income of the water department, and that the amount of said compensation shall for the year ensuing be $200.

The same question of legality was raised and the Moderator ruled that the appropriation can be made from money in the water department.

An appeal being made from the decision, the question "Will the meeting sustain the decision" being tried, was declared sustained, which being doubted, a hand ballot was ordered which resulted as follows:

Voting to sustain Moderator . . .	189
Voting against	149

Voted, That the compensation of the Town Treasurer for collecting the water rates shall be paid from the income of the water department, and that the amount of said compensation shall for the year ensuing be $200.

ARTICLE 4

A motion was made "That the Town Clerk serve as Clerk of the Board of Public Works the year ensuing."

William J. Corcoran, Jr., raised the point of order, that the town had no authority under the act creating the Board of Public Works to choose a Clerk for that Board.

The Moderator ruled the point not well taken and that the town had the authority to choose such Clerk, which decision being appealed from, the question to sustain the Moderator being tried was declared carried.

Voted, That the Town Clerk serve as the Clerk of the Board of Public Works for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 7

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars for the salary of the Clerk of the Board of Public Works.

ARTICLE 21

Voted, To construct a sewer in and through Central street, from a point near the factory of the Vera Chemical Company, southerly to intersect the sewer in William street at a point nearly opposite the entrance to the North schoolhouse yard.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell one sewer bond of the denomination of $1000, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the sum of four hundred and seventy dollars and sixty cents (470.60) of the proceeds of said bond for the construction of said sewer in Central street.

ARTICLE 22

Voted, To construct a sewer in and through Pond street, from Summer street southerly for a distance of two hundred and seventy-five (275) feet.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell one sewer bond of the denomination of $1000, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the sum of ten hundred and twenty-five dollars ($1025) of the proceeds of said bond for the construction of the sewer in Pond street.

ARTICLE 23

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Broadway, from Main street easterly to connect with the water main in High street.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell two water bonds of the denomination of $1000 each, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars of the proceeds of said bonds for the construction of the water main in Broadway.

ARTICLE 24

Voted, To lay an 8 inch water main in and through Spencer street, from Franklin street to Hancock street.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell one water bond of the denomination of $1000, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars of the proceeds of said bond for the construction of the water main in Spencer street.

Voted, To adjourn, to meet in Armory Hall Friday evening, March 26, 1909, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Adjourned Town Meeting

FRIDAY, March 26, 1909.

Meeting called to order by Moderator Charles A. Owen.

ARTICLE 24

Voted, To instruct the Town Treasurer not to sell the water bond voted under this article at the adjourned town meeting Friday, March 19, 1909, unless he receives from some person or corporation, whom he considers a responsible guarantor, a guarantee of an annual payment in water rates of 8 per cent of the cost of construction of the water main in and through Spencer street.

ARTICLE 23

To instruct the Town Treasurer not to sell the water bonds voted under this article at the adjourned town meeting Friday, March 19, 1909, unless he receives from the abuttors a guarantee of an annual payment in water rates of at least 8 per cent of the cost of construction of the water main in and through Broadway.

ARTICLE 25

Voted, To lay a water main in and through High street, from the existing water main therein at the junction of Broadway, northerly to a point near the residence of William B. Parker.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell one water bond of the denomination of $1000, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the sum of eight hundred and fifty dollars of the proceeds of said bond for the construction of the water main in and through High street.

Voted, To instruct the Town Treasurer not to sell the water bond voted under this article, unless he receive from the abuttors a guarantee of an annual payment in water rates of at least 8 per cent of the cost of construction of said main.

ARTICLE 26

To see if the town will vote to lay a water main in and through Main street, from the existing main therein near the residence of William Breagy, southerly to connect with the pipe laid from the Metropolitan main at South street; appropriate and raise money therefor by the sale of water bonds or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Committee of Fifteen chosen to investigate the town's affairs, they to report to the town at a subsequent town meeting.

ARTICLE 28

Voted, To construct a sidewalk on the easterly side of Central street, from Elm street northerly to the northerly line of land of Joseph Brown, and that the cost of same be paid from the general highway appropriation.

ARTICLE 29

Voted, To concrete the sidewalk on the westerly side of Central street, from Pleasant street southerly to the existing walk therein, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of twenty dollars to concrete the sidewalk on Central street as voted.

ARTICLE 33

Voted, To concrete the sidewalk on the northerly side of Gilmore street, from land of Curtis M. Child to land of Lillian A. Allen, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of thirty-five dollars to construct the concrete walk on Gilmore street.

ARTICLE 35

Voted, To concrete the sidewalk on the easterly side of Main street, from Gerry street to Summer street, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of sixty dollars to concrete the walk on Main street as voted.

ARTICLE 36

Voted, To concrete the sidewalk on the southerly side of Maple street, abutting the premises of Clara L. Beard, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of fourteen dollars to construct the sidewalk on Maple street.

ARTICLE 37

Voted, To rebuild the drain leading from the culvert under the tracks of the Boston and Maine R. R., westerly to Cottage street, said drain being the southerly boundary

line of land of William J. Corcoran, the expense to be paid from the general highway appropriation.

ARTICLE 38

To see if the town will vote to clean the ditch leading from a point near the residence of Daniel E. Quinlan on Pond street, to Franklin street, enlarge the culvert at Summer street, and also the culvert at Hancock street near the residence of Orange M. Durfee, through which the water from said drain is conveyed under said streets, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Committee of Fifteen chosen to investigate the town's affairs, they to report to the town at a subsequent meeting.

ARTICLE 39

To see if the town will vote to construct a catch basin on Pine street near the residence of Ellen E. Dean, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Board of Public Works.

ARTICLE 40

Voted, To construct catch basins on Pine street, one at the corner of Gerry street, and one at the corner of Summer street.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to construct catch basins as voted under this article.

ARTICLE 41

To see if the town will vote to construct a catch basin on Montvale avenue at its junction with the new street known as Lindenwood avenue, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Board of Public Works.

ARTICLE 42

To see if the town will vote to construct a catch basin at the junction of Winthrop street with Lincoln street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Board of Public Works.

ARTICLE 43

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred dollars for repairs to concrete walks the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 44

To see if the town will vote to construct a catch basin on the southerly side of Marble street near the corner of Main street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Board of Public Works.

ARTICLE 45

To see if the town will vote to replace the apparatus in the water closets in the High and Dean school buildings with more modern and economical apparatus, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the School Committee, they to investigate and report to the town at a subsequent meeting.

ARTICLE 46

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred dollars for maintenance of sewers the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 47

To see if the town will vote to locate incandescent electric lights as follows: Two on Main street between Elm street and Broadway; two on Broadway between Main street and Steele street; one on Pine street opposite the double house formerly belonging to William Whowell; one on Central street north of Elm street; one on Mary's lane at its junction with Gerry court; one on Pleasant street near the residence of Myron P. Peffers; one on Ledge street; one on Maple street near the B. & M. R. R. crossing; one on Pomeworth street near Capen street; one on Parkway south of Marble street; one at the corner of North avenue and Perkins street; one on Bow street opposite Bow street court; and one on Stevens street at bend of street opposite estate of L. J. Brooks; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 48

To see if the town will locate an arc electric light at the corner of South and Main streets, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 49

Voted, To repair Keene street between Washington street and Cowdrey street.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars to repair Keene street as voted.

ARTICLE 50

Voted, To purchase one thousand (1000) feet of hose for the Fire Department, and to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars, and to appropriate the unex-

pended balance from 1908, amounting to the sum of fifty dollars, for that purpose.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, That the Engineers of the Fire Department be a committee to purchase the hose voted under Article 50.

Voted, That the Committee of Fifteen chosen to investigate the affairs of the town, be empowered to fill vacancies in that committee if any occur.

ARTICLE 51

Voted, To locate a fire alarm box on Franklin street near its junction with Emerald court.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of eighty-five dollars for the fire alarm box on Franklin street.

ARTICLE 52

Voted, To rebuild the retaining wall on Montvale avenue abutting Lindenwood Cemetery, and replace the existing iron fence in front of Lindenwood Cemetery on Montvale avenue, with a three rail iron fence with iron posts.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of six hundred and fifteen dollars to rebuild the retaining wall and replace the existing iron fence with a three rail iron fence with iron posts, in front of Lindenwood Cemetery as voted.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, That the Engineers of the Fire Department be a committee to purchase the fire alarm box and locate the same, voted under Article 51.

Voted, That the Trustees of Lindenwood Cemetery be a committee to have the wall rebuilt and the fence replaced in front of Lindenwood Cemetery, as voted under Article 52.

ARTICLE 53

Voted, To appropriate the sums received by taxation

of private property, assessed on such property by reason of destroying the eggs, pupæ and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths by the town, said appropriation to be expended the present year for the same purpose; and all such sums expended to be assessed upon the owners of property benefited.

ARTICLE 54

To see if the town will vote to lease, hire or purchase the lot of land at the corner of Tidd and Pine streets owned by the heirs of the late William Tidd, to be used for a yard for the town department, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, That the subject matter of this article be referred to the Board of Public Works, they to investigate as to cost and needs, and report at a subsequent meeting.

ARTICLE 56

Voted, To sell the gravel pit situated on Bow street court.

Voted, To sell the gravel pit situated on Bow street court at public auction.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell the gravel pit situated on Bow street court at public auction, and to execute and deliver a good and sufficient deed for the same.

ARTICLE 57

To see if the town will vote to pay the premium on the bond of the Town Treasurer, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted, To refer the subject matter of this article to the Committee of Fifteen chosen to investigate the town's affairs.

Voted, To adjourn, until Friday, April 2, 1909, to meet in Armory Hall at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Adjourned Town Meeting

FRIDAY, April 2, 1909.

Meeting was called to order by Moderator Charles A. Owen.

ARTICLE 59

To see if the town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the Legislature for authority to pay P. Cogan & Son the sum of one hundred and three dollars and ten cents ($103.10) being the amount paid by them for water in excess of rates chargable to consumers using two million gallons or more, between December 1, 1906, and December 1, 1907.

Voted, That the matter be referred to the Board of Public Works, and it is the sense of the meeting that they investigate, and if any over-charge has been made, that the amount be refunded.

ARTICLE 60

To see what action the town will take in the suit for alleged damages brought against the town by Harry J. Burns, caused, as he claims, by reason of a servant or servants of the town in leaving open an unlighted stairway or other dangerous opening on the back part of stage in Armory Hall.

Voted, That the subject matter of this article be referred to the Selectmen with instructions to settle or defend the suit, as they deem for the best interests of the town.

ARTICLE 61

Voted, That the name of Mary's lane be changed to "Dale court."

ARTICLE 62

Voted, To name the new street leading from Mont-

vale avenue, now known as Lindenwood avenue, "Rafferty street."

ARTICLE 7

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars in addition to the sum already voted, for salary of Overseers of the Poor for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 6

Voted, That action on the By-Laws be section by section.

Voted, To amend Section 1 of Article I, by inserting before "every" in the first line the words "notice of"; by striking out the word "notified" in the first line, and inserting in the place thereof the word "given"; by striking out the word "seventy-five" in the eighth line, and inserting the words "three hundred" in place thereof, and inserting the word "annual" before town in the tenth line, so as to read: "Notice of every Town Meeting shall be given by posting twenty-five copies of the Warrant, one upon each schoolhouse and meetinghouse, and the residue of said twenty-five copies in conspicuous public places in different sections of the town, seven days at least before the holding of said Town Meeting, and publishing a duly attested copy of said Warrant in some newspaper published in the town, the last publication to be not less than three days before said meeting. Not less than three hundred more copies of the Warrant shall be distributed in the hall at the annual Town Meeting."

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article I as amended.

Section 2. The annual Town Meeting for the election of Town Officers shall be held on the first Monday in March of each year.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article I.

Section 3. The Selectmen shall cause to be published for three weeks in succession in one newspaper at least, published in the town, a notice, the last publication thereof

to be three weeks prior to the annual March meeting, that all articles to be inserted in the Warrant must be handed to the Clerk not less than seven days before said meeting.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article I.

ARTICLE II

Section 1. The financial year shall commence annually on the first day of January and expire on the thirty-first day of December.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article II.

ARTICLE III

Section 1. At the annual Town Meeting in March there shall be appointed or elected (in a manner to be determined at said meeting) a committee of nine legal voters, to be known as the Finance and Advisory Committee, to serve one year, whose duty it shall be to examine all Articles in the Warrants calling for the expenditure of money, to recommend amounts to be appropriated for the expenditures of the town, and when practicable to publish their recommendations in at least one paper published in the town, at least three days before each meeting.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article III.

Section 2. Said committee shall meet for organization directly after their election, and not later than the 15th day of the following April.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article III.

Section 3. Each member of the committee shall be duly notified of his appointment by the Town Clerk, who shall notify said committee to meet at some suitable place provided by the Selectmen in which to hold their various meetings.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article III.

Section 4. This Section as printed entirely struck out and the following substituted:

Section 4. Each Board, Department, Committee or

Town Officer shall furnish the Finance and Advisory Committee, as early in February as possible, a written statement of appropriations coming under their jurisdiction, with detailed estimate of proposed expenditure, submitting bids, if any have been obtained.

Voted, To accept Section 4 of Article III as substituted.

Section 5. All persons appointed and elected under the provisions of this Article, shall hold office until the first day of April in the year succeeding their appointment.

Voted, To accept Section 5 of Article III.

Section 6. Said committee shall report in print at least three days before all Town Meetings, their estimates and recommendations for the action of the town in all cases involving the expenditure of one thousand dollars or over.

Voted, To accept Section 6, Article III.

Section 7. A report shall be published in the annual Town Report, covering such matters as have been considered by said committee, together with their recrmmendations to the town for the annual appropriations.

Voted, To accept Section 7 of Article III.

Section 8. No person holding an elective town office shall be eligible to serve on the Finance Committee.

Voted, To accept Section 8 of Article III.

Voted, To adjourn, to meet in Armory Hall, Wednesday, April 7, 1909, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Adjourned Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, April 7, 1909.

Meeting called to order by Moderator Charles A. Owen.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, That the Moderator appoint a committee of three to retire and nominate a Finance Committee for the year ensuing.

Under the authority of the foregoing vote, the Moderator appointed as the committee to nominate a Finance Committee for the year ensuing, the following: William B. Snow, William O. Richardson, Daniel D. Peabody.

The foregoing committee nominated the following, and recommended that the nominees serve the town as its Finance Committee for the year ensuing:

William B. Stevens, William D. Brackett, Edgar L. Patch, Frank A. Walker, John Walsh, Clayton B. Kinsley, Clarence W. Houghton, Charles A. Bailey, James P. Fairchild.

Voted, To accept the report of the committee.

Voted, That the gentlemen nominated above to serve as a Finance Committee, serve as that committee for the year ensuing.

Voted, That the Selectmen be a committee to take the matter of a survey of the town under consideration, and report to the town at some future meeting.

ARTICLE 6

Article IV

Section 1. All Boards, Standing Committees and Officers of the town, shall cause records of their doings and accounts to be kept in suitable books. Said books shall be kept in their respective places in the town offices and shall not be removed therefrom. Said record books, except of such committees as have not filed their final report, shall be open to the reasonable inspection of the citizens of the town, but shall remain during such inspection under the supervision of the Board, Committee or Officer designated to keep charge thereof.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article IV.

Section 2. All Boards, Standing Committees, Special Committees and Officers of the town, having charge of the expenditure of money, shall annually report thereon in such a manner as to give a fair and full account of such

expenditures, referring to the Treasurer's and Auditors' reports for specific details. All such reports shall be sent to the Selectmen in form for printing on or before the last Monday in January.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article IV.

Section 3. The Selectmen shall contract for the printing and binding of said reports, and shall arrange for the distribution of the printed reports to the voters of the town, at least one week before the annual Town Meeting; in such distribution each voter shall be entitled to one copy.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article IV.

Section 4. The Board of Health shall make a full and comprehensive annual report of its acts during the preceding year, and of the sanitary condition of the town.

Voted, To accept Section 4 of Article IV.

Section 5. In his annual report, the Treasurer shall state specifically the objects for which the debt of the town was incurred, during the preceding year, and recite the votes under which the money was borrowed, and shall render a classified statement of all expenditures and receipts of the town in such detail as to give a fair and full exhibit of the objects and methods of all expenditures.

Voted, To accept Section 5 of Article IV.

Section 6. The Assessors shall append to their annual report a statement of the valuation, real, personal and total, the rate of taxation and the money raised. (Clause 1.)

Voted, To accept Clause 1, Section 6 of Article IV.

Clause 2.

Voted, To amend by striking out the words "in the annual report, or" in the second line, and by substituting the word "fifth" for the word "three" in the third line, so as to read:

The valuation of each building and lot of land, which is separately assessed, shall be shown by separate report

every fifth year, together with a complete itemized list of all the Real and Personal estate owned by the town, beginning with the year ending January 1, 1907.

Voted, To accept Clause 2 of Section 6, Article IV, as amended.

Section 7. The Town Clerk shall make a report upon the vital statistics for publication in the annual report.

Voted, To accept Section 7 of Article IV.

Section 8. The Town Clerk shall submit to the Selectmen an abstract of the official records of all Town Meetings, and the same shall be published in the Town Report.

Voted, To accept Section 8, Article IV.

Article V

Section 1. No money, except State and County taxes, shall be paid by the Town Treasurer, without a written or printed order therefor signed by a majority of the Selectmen, unless otherwise provided by law.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article V.

Section 2. Every order drawn by the Selectmen upon the Town Treasurer shall specify the appropriation against which the same is drawn, and no order shall be drawn by them upon the Treasurer against any appropriation in excess of such appropriation.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article V.

Section 3. Whenever any way shall have been laid out or altered by the Selectmen and accepted and allowed by the town, no entry for the purpose of constructing any part of such laying out, or alterations shall be made until all claims for damages by reason thereof shall have been adjusted or determined, unless such entry shall be authorized by special vote of the town.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article V.

Section 4. The Selectmen may order numbers to be affixed to, or printed on the buildings on any street, in

their discretion. The owner of every house shall comply with such order within ten days thereafter.

Voted, To accept Section 4 of Article V.

Section 5. Whenever it shall be necessary to execute any deed conveying land, or any other instrument required to carry into effect any vote of the town, the same shall be executed by the Selectmen, or a majority of them, in behalf of the town, unless the town shall otherwise vote, in any special case.

Voted, To accept Section 5 of Article V.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Police Officers and Constables to report in writing, annually, to the Board of Selectmen the facts concerning all arrests made by them.

Voted, To accept Section 6 of Article V.

Section 7. The bond of the Town Treasurer shall be kept in the custody of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, To accept Section 7 of Article V.

Section 8. The Selectmen shall publish the By-Laws of the town in the annual report, or separately as often as once in five years.

Voted, To accept Section 8 of Article V.

Article VI

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the Auditors to have printed, in the annual report, the details in full of all expenditures made during the year, under the proper appropriations. They shall give the date of all expenditures, other than those of the year for which the report is made, and call the attention of the town to any apparent violation of the same.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article VI.

Article VII

Section 1. The Treasurer shall have the custody of all receipted bills and receipts, and of notes, bonds and coupons which have been paid.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article VII.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Selectmen to see that all public buildings, for the construction of which there is any outstanding indebtedness, are insured against loss or damage by fire, for an amount equal to the amount of such indebtedness; and they shall also keep all buildings, situated on the town farm, suitably insured against loss or damage by fire.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article VII.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Town Treasurer to report to the Selectmen and the Board of Public Works the condition of the appropriations of the municipal year on the first Tuesday of each month, which report shall contain the amount of each appropriation, the amount expended and the unexpended balance.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article VII.

Section 4. The Town Treasurer and the Collector of Taxes shall give good and sufficient bonds satisfactory to the Board of Selectmen and all other officers authorized to receive money in behalf of the town shall give bonds in such sums as the Selectmen may require.

Voted, To accept Section 4 of Article VII.

Article VIII

Section 1. No town officer and no salaried employee of the town, or any agent of any such officer or employee shall sell material or supplies to the department of the town of which he or they are an officer, employee or agent, without the permission of the Board of Selectmen expressed in a vote, which shall appear in their records with the reasons therefor.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article VIII.

Section 2. No officer and no salaried employee of the town, or any agent of any such officer or employee shall receive any compensation or commission for work done by him for the town, except his official salary and fees allowed by law, without the permission of the Selectmen

expressed in a vote, which shall appear on their records with the reasons therefor.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article VIII.

Section 3. No Board of Selectmen, Board of Public Works or other Town officer or committee, chosen by the town, shall make any contract for labor, material or other expenditures in behalf of the town, for which no appropriations shall have been made by the town at the time of such contract, nor for any expenditure beyond the amount appropriated by the town for the purpose, except in cases where such expenditure may be required by law, or by these By-Laws.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article VIII.

Section 4. Voted, To amend by striking out the words "labor or" in the second line, and the words "labor or" in the third line.

Section 4. The officers of the different town departments shall call for bids on all material to be furnished to the town, and on all accounts to be given out by the town, where the material to be so furnished, or where the estimate amount under the contract so to be given out exceeds $500.00; said call for bids shall be advertised by publishing the same in the local newspaper, and by posting notices of the same in three or more public places in the town, or by publishing the same in two Boston daily newspapers, which shall not have less than three insertions in each, at intervals of two days; the last publication to be at least two days before the opening of the bids.

Voted, To accept Section 4 of Article VIII.

Voted, To adjourn to meet in Armory Hall, Tuesday, April 13, 1909, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Adjourned Town Meeting

TUESDAY, April 13, 1909.

Meeting called to order by the Moderator, Charles A. Owen.

ARTICLE 6

Article I

Voted, To reconsider the vote passed Friday, April 2, 1909, whereby it was voted, "To accept Section 3 of Article I" of the By-Laws.

Voted, To amend Section 3 of Article I of the By-Laws, by striking out the word "seven" in the fifth line and inserting in place thereof the word "fourteen," so as to read:

Section 3. The Selectmen shall cause to be published for three weeks in succession, in one newspaper at least, published in the town, a notice, the last publication thereof to be three weeks prior to the annual March meeting, that all articles to be inserted in the warrant must be handed to the Clerk not less than fourteen days before said meeting.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article I as amended.

Voted, To take up Article III of the By-Laws.

Voted, To reconsider the vote passed Friday, April 2, 1909, whereby it was voted, "To accept Section 6 of Article III.

Voted, To amend Section 6 of Article 3 of the By-Laws, by striking out the words, "involving the expenditure of one thousand dollars or over" so as to read:

Section 6. Said committee shall report in print, at least three days before all Town meetings, their estimates and recommendations for the action of the town in all cases.

Voted, To accept Section 6 of Article III as amended.

Article VIII

No penalty shall be attached to the violations of any of the provisions of the foregoing Articles, or any Section thereof.

Voted, To accept the foregoing provision in By-Laws.

Article IX

Section 1. The Overseers of the Poor shall, annually in the month of March, appoint a keeper of the Almshouse to serve during the pleasure of the Overseers of the Poor.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article IX.

Section 2. The Selectmen shall, annually in the month of March, appoint a janitor for the Armory to serve the pleasure of the Selectmen.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article IX.

Section 3. The Almshouse of the town shall be a workhouse for all purposes not inconsistent with law.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article IX.

Section 4. All moneys received by any town officer or committee, or any person acting in behalf of the town, shall, upon receipt of the same, be paid into the town treasury.

Voted, To accept Section 4 of Article IX.

Article X

Section 1. No person, except the Board of Public Works in the lawful performance of their duties, or those acting under their orders, shall obstruct any sidewalk or street, or any part thereof, to break or dig the ground of the same, without first obtaining a written license from the Board of Public Works, or other authorized board; and all persons so obstructing any sidewalk or street, or any part thereof shall put and keep up a suitable railing around the parts so obstructed, and shall place a substantial and convenient walk around such obstruction, and keep lighted lanterns fixed at proper places through the night, as the Selectmen shall direct.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article X.

Section 2. No person shall place or cause to be placed in any street, public place, or private way in the town any obstruction, or make any dumping ground for the deposit of ashes, garbage, carrion, filth, offal or any

kind of rubbish, except in such places and in such manner as shall be directed by the Board of Health.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article X.

Section 3. No person shall pasture cattle or any other animals upon any street or way in the town, except within the limits of said way adjoining his premises, and in charge of the keeper, nor permit any dangerous animal to go at large or to pass through the streets, unless safely secured.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article X.

Section 4. No person shall coast in any of the streets or public walks of the town, except under such regulation as the Selectmen may establish.

Voted, To accept Section 4 of Article X.

Section 5. No person shall drive, wheel or draw any carriage upon any sidewalk in the town (except baby or invalid carriages) nor permit any horse, cattle, swine, sheep or goats, under his or her care, to go upon any sidewalk in the town, except at regular crossings.

Voted, To accept Section 5 of Article X.

Section 6. No owner or person for the time being, having the care and use of any horse or other beasts of burden, carriage or draught, shall ride, drive or permit the same to go at a faster rate than nine miles an hour in any street, way or public place in the town.

Voted, To accept Section 6 of Article X.

Section 7. No person shall permit any team or carriage under his care or control, to stand across any public highway or street in such a manner as to obstruct the travel over the same for any unnecessary length of time; no person shall stop with any team or carriage in any public street, so near to another team as to obstruct public travel upon or across any crossing in any street or highway in the town.

Voted, To accept Section 7 of Article X.

Section 8. No person shall occupy any part of any street as storage room for carriages or other vehicles.

Voted, To accept Section 8 of Article X.

Section 9. No person shall use any indecent, profane or insulting language in any public place in the town, or within audible distance of any dwelling house or other building therein.

Voted, To accept Section 9 of Article X.

Section 10. No person shall be or remain upon any public way or sidewalk, or upon any doorstep, portico or other projection of any house, or other building not his own, to the annoyance or disturbance of any person.

Voted, To accept Section 10 of Artice X.

Section 11. No person shall by any noise, gesture or other means, wantonly and designedly frighten any horse in any street or other public place in the town.

Voted, To accept Section 11 of Article X.

Section 12. No person shall throw stones, snow balls, sticks or other missiles, or kick at football, or play at any game in which a ball is used, or engage in any amusement, game or exercise interfering with the free, safe and convenient use of any public way. No person shall promote or encourage the fighting of birds or animals in any public way.

Voted, To accept Section 12 of Article X.

Section 13. No person shall shoot with or use a bow and arrow, bean blower, or shoot any missile with the aid of an elastic or air gun in any of the public ways of the town.

Voted, To accept Section 13 of Article X.

Section 14. No person shall suffer any gate to open outward over any sidewalk or highway of the town.

Voted, To accept Section 14 of Article X.

Section 15. No person shall kindle any bonfire or other fire in the highways or lands belonging to the town.

Voted, To accept Section 15 of Article X.

Section 16. No person shall fire any gun, cannon, pistol, India crackers, torpedoes or other explosive arti-

cles, in any street or square in the town, provided, however, that this section shall not apply to any firing agreeable to law, at any military exercises or review, nor to any firing permitted by the Selectmen, or the lawful defence of the person, family or property

Voted, To accept Section 16 of Article X.

Section 17. Any person who intends to erect, repair or take down any building abutting on any way which the town is obliged to keep in repair and desires to make use of any portion of said way for the purpose of placing thereon building materials or rubbish, shall give notice thereof to the Selectmen, and thereupon the Selectmen may grant a permit to occupy such portion of said way to be used for such purpose as in their judgment the necessity of the case demands and the security of the public allows; such permit in no case to be in force longer than ninety days, and to be on such condition as the Selectmen may require; and especially in every case upon condition that during the whole of every night, from twilight in the evening until sunrise in the morning, lighted lanterns shall be placed so effectually to secure all travellers from liability of coming in contact with such building materials or rubbish.

Voted, To accept Section 17 of Article X.

Section 18. No person shall wilfully or maliciously deface or tear down any bill, placard or notice posted for a lawful purpose, except the same be affixed to premises owned by him or under his control.

Voted, To accept Section 18 of Article X.

Section 19. No person shall extinguish or destroy any street light, or extinguish or remove any light denoting any obstruction or defect in any street or way, without proper authority.

Voted, To accept Section 19 of Article X.

Section 20. No person shall intermeddle with any hydrant, gate, gate box, fire alarm box, or water pipe,

placed or located within the limits of any public way in this town without permission from the Board of Public Works, or Engineers of the Fire Department.

Voted, To accept Section 20 of Article X.

Section 21. No person shall distribute papers, circulars or advertisements through the town in such a manner as to create a disturbance or litter; and no person shall deliver papers, circulars or other printed matter without a permit from the Selectmen.

Voted, To accept Section 21 of Article X.

Section 22. No person shall stand on any public way in such a manner as to obstruct a free passage for pedestrians.

Voted, To accept Section 22 of Article X.

Section 23. No person shall erect or maintain any canopy, awning, shade, shade frame or shade curtain, in any public street at a less height than seven feet from the sidewalk, and then only by permission of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, To accept Section 23 of Article X.

Section 24. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this article shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offence.

Voted, To accept Section 24 of Article X.

Article XIII

Voted, To suspend temporarily the vote passed Friday, April 2, 1909, whereby it was voted "To act on the By-Laws section by section."

Regulations for Plumbing and House Drainage

Section 1. The Inspector shall inspect all plumbing work for which permits are hereafter granted for construction, alterations or repairs, within two working days after notice that they are ready for inspection, and shall report any violation of any law, ordinance or By-Law relating to plumbing, to the Board of Health.

Section 2. All permits issued for work, if not started within thirty days thereafter, will be void.

Section 3. Every building in the town of Stoneham used as a dwelling, or where persons are employed, shall be connected with the public sewer, or if such sewer is not provided, with a proper cesspool or privy acceptable to the Board of Health.

Section 4. The Inspector of Plumbing must be notified in writing when the main drain, soil, waste, branch connections or ventilating pipes are in position, and all calked joints necessary to be made in the job are finished and ready to be tested in the presence of the Inspector. Such test shall be that known as the water test. The Inspector must be notified in writing immediately after the work is completed and before it is concealed from view. All work must be completed within thirty days after the rough work has been tested, or satisfactory reasons given therefor to the Board of Health for failure to complete it.

Section 5. All plumbing work must be left uncovered and convenient for examination until inspected and approved, and until a certificate of approval has been granted by said Inspector at the satisfactory completion of said work to the plumber in charge. If on inspection the work is not satisfactory, the plumber will be notified, and a limit of five days (unless otherwise permitted) given in which to complete the same.

Section 6. Drain, soil or waste pipes within a building and for a distance of not less than eight feet from the outside of foundation walls thereof, through which waste water or sewage is carried, shall be made of cast iron (except that lead pipe may be used for short connections always exposed to view) and shall be of the quality known as standard pipe. Such pipes shall be securely ironed to walls laid in trenches, suspended by strong iron hangers, or supported on suitable brick piers, and shall, with a uniform grade, have a fall toward sewer or cesspool of

not less than one-fourth inch per foot; and shall be supplied with a Y or a TY branch placed with an accessible brass cleanout inside the building at or near the point where it leaves the building. All permanent hangers, clamps or brick piers shall be placed at intervals of five feet, and shall be placed before test is made.

There shall be suitable brass cleanouts at all angles of horizontal pipes where the same are possible, and at foundation walls in a direct line with the sewer or cesspool, and at such other points as the Inspector may direct.

All cleanouts below the cellar bottom must be accessible for inspection and cleaning through movable covers. Change in direction shall be made with curved pipes, and all connections shall be made with Y branches.

No saddle hubs will be allowed on any plumbing.

Section 7. The soil pipes of every building shall be carried above the roof open and undiminished in size, at least two feet, and two feet above the top of any opening within fifteen feet in any building.

All branches of soil or waste pipe fifteen feet or more in length shall be continued in the above manner, or into the main soil pipe, at a point above the top of the highest fixture in the building. Iron pipes, when passing through the roof of the building, shall be made water tight with sheet copper or four pound sheet lead. Joints on iron pipe shall be made with oakum and molten lead thoroughly calked. Connections of lead pipes with iron pipes shall be made with heavy brass ferrules and calked to the iron, the lead pipes to be attached to the ferrules by a round, wiped soldered joint. All joints made of solder shall be wiped joints.

Section 8. No rain water leaders shall be connected with house drain, sewer or cesspool.

Section 9. Waste pipes from refrigerators or other receptacles in which provisions are stored, shall not be connected with a drain, soil or other waste pipes, unless

such waste pipes are provided with traps suitably vented, and in every case there shall be an open tray or sink between the tray and refrigerator.

Section 10. No steam exhaust, blowoff or drip pipe shall connect with a sewer, house drain, soil or waste pipe, but shall discharge into a suitable tank or condenser, from which a proper outlet to the drain or sewer shall be provided.

Section 11. Every water fixture having a waste pipe connected with a sewer or cesspool, shall be furnished with a separate trap placed as near as possible to the fixture that it serves, except that where a sink and wash tray, or bath tub and bowl, come in contact with each other, one round trap will be permitted for both, provided that the distance between the trap and the fixture does not exceed three feet. (The top fixture on any stack need not be vented, provided a round trap is used and does not exceed twenty-four inches from stack, or if a water closet, not to exceed forty-two inches from the main stack. The waste of any trap may be connected into lead bend without ventilatlng lead bend, providing they are the top fixtures.

Where S traps are used they shall be of brass and not less than one and one-half inches in diameter, and where round traps are used they shall be so placed, if possible, that the trap screw shall be under water.

A suitable grease trap shall be connected with the kitchen sink in every hotel, restaurant, public cooking establishment, or such other places as may be required by the Inspector.

No trap shall be placed at the foot of vertical soil pipe.

When two or more fixtures are used on one line, the waste pipe must be of iron and not less than two inches in diameter.

The waste pipe from every fixture must enter the soil pipe or lead bend separately.

Every water closet or line of water closets shall be supplied from a tank or cistern, and have a flushing pipe of not less than one and one-fourth inches in diameter. Water closets having earthen traps shall be connected to soil pipe with a brass flange or floor plate securely soldered to the lead bend, and bolted to the water closet.

Section 12. All traps shall be protected from syphonage or air pressure by special cast iron, brass or galvanized iron pipes, of a size not less than the waste pipes they serve, except that for water closet traps, they shall be not less than two inch bore for thirty feet or less, and shall be not less than three inch bore for more than thirty feet.

Whenever galvanized pipe is used, the fittings shall be of the same material.

Air pipes less than two inches in diameter, when running over twenty feet, or when serving more than two traps, shall be increased to two inches, and all air pipes shall be run as direct as possible, and shall have such continuous slope as to avoid collecting water by condensation.

Whenever there are more than two closets, said air pipes shall not be less than three inches in diameter.

Vent pipes shall be run from the crown of the trap or from the outlet within three feet of the trap, except those from water closets. Said pipes may be taken from the top of the lead bends near the closet outlet.

All vent pipes shall be so constructed as not to allow the formation of a trap, nor to be used as waste pipes.

No vent pipes shall connect with any other vent pipe, until it has attained the height of the top of the fixture whose trap it ventilates. No bow venting, solder unions, or venting in new buildings from the trap screw of a round trap will be allowed.

Lead air pipes may be used only where they are exposed to view, and in no case shall they be allowed behind walls or sheathing or other place inaccessible for inspection.

Joints in brass pipes shall be made with screw fitting and red lead.

Connections of lead pipes with wrought iron pipes shall be made with brass solder nipples screwed to the iron pipe, and attached to the lead pipe with wiped solder joints.

Section 13. All systems of plumbing proposed to be connected with the common sewer, and not constructed under the supervision of an Inspector of Plumbing, shall in all cases be water tested up to the kitchen sink, and shall be in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance before such connection is made. The replacing of traps, soil or waste pipes will not be required, providing said pipes are found in a satisfactory condition and are carried above the roof, undiminished in size, as described in Section 7.

In all cases of sewer connections there shall be an iron pipe of standard weight laid from eight feet outside the foundation walls and connected with a Y. The house drain shall connect with a Y or TY branch provided with a brass cleanout calked in the end of a Y or TY.

The double plug used for testing sewer connections must be long enough to test all joints made by the plumber. No person shall connect the plumbing of any building with any sewer, without a permit from the Board of Health.

Section 14. When vaults, privies or cesspools are hereafter abandoned, they shall within ten days (unless otherwise permitted) be thoroughly cleaned and filled with earth or other suitable material.

Section 15. Any person or persons receiving a written notice from the Board of Health, or its agent, served upon him or them, of any violation of the regulations, shall, within a time not to exceed ten days, make such alterations as are called for in such notice.

Section 16. All work of any kind or nature not pro-

vided for in this ordinance, shall be left to the discretion of the Inspector. No person shall connect any building in the town of Stoneham with the public sewer, except in accordance with the plumbing regulations and rules of the Board of Health; and when the drainage system of any building shall hereafter be connected with the public sewer, such changes shall be made in the old work as the Board of Health shall deem necessary for the health of the occupants.

The Board of Health shall see that the regulations of the town regarding plumbing are enforced. Whoever violates the regulations of the town regarding plumbing, whether it be by By-Law or by the rules and regulations of the Board of Health shall be liable to a penalty of not over twenty dollars.

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this Article shall be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars; and any person holding a license by virtue of this Article, such license may be revoked upon proof of a violation of the same.

Voted, To accept Article XIII of the By-Laws as a whole.

Article XI

Section 1. No person shall collect old junk, old metals or second hand articles, deal in the same or keep a shop for the purchase, sale or exchange of the same within the town, unless duly licensed so to do by the Board of Selectmen.

Section 2. All persons licensed by the Selectmen to keep a shop for the purchase, sale or barter of junk, old metals or second hand articles, within the town limits, shall keep a book, in which shall be written, at the time of every purchase of any article, a description thereof, the name, age and residence of the person from whom, and the day and hour when such purchase was made;

such book shall at all times be open to the inspection of the Selectmen, and of any person by them authorized to make such inspection.

Section 3. No article purchased or received by such junk collector shall be sold until at least one week from the time of its purchase or receipt has elapsed.

Voted, To accept Article XI of the By-Laws as a whole.

Article XII

Section 1. Any person intending to erect any dwelling house, stable, shop, store or other building in the town of Stoneham, shall, before proceeding to erect the same or lay the foundation thereof, give notice in writing to the Board of Selectmen of such intention, and of the character and location of the proposed building.

Voted, To accept Section 1 of Article XII.

Section 2. All chimneys in wood buildings shall be built of brick, stone or other fire proof, non-conducting material. All brick flues shall be smoothly plastered inside with mortar from top to bottom, or lined with earthen pipe, and shall be plastered outside, below the roof.

Voted, To accept Section 2 of Article XII.

Section 3. In no case shall chimneys rest upon any flooring, without a footing of masonry or iron beams, having a secure bearing of masonry of iron at either end.

Voted, To accept Section 3 of Article XII.

Section 4. All flues shall be topped out at least four feet above the roof of the buildings to which they belong. The brick topping out of the chimneys shall not have more than two inches projecting, unless covered by a cap of metal or stone properly secured.

Voted, To accept Section 4 of Article XII.

Section 5. Hearths of fire places or grates shall be laid upon brick or other trimmer arches, or upon bars of

iron supporting a bed of brick work, and iron lintels shall be used instead of wood.

Voted, To accept Section 5 of Article XII.

Section 6. No wood work of any kind shall be placed at a less distance than one inch from the outside brick work of any flue.

Voted, To accept Section 6 of Article XII.

Section 7. No wood work shall be placed at a less distance than one inch from any tin or other metal flue or pipes, pipe or pipes used or intended to be used to convey heated air or steam in any building, unless such flues or flues shall be cased with metal, leaving a free circulation of air around the same.

Voted, To accept Section 7 of Article XII.

Section 8. The removal, extension or essential alteration of any building, also the rebuilding or repairing of any building, which has been partially destroyed by fire, shall be subject to the same restrictions as are imposed by the foregoing By-Laws on the erection of buildings.

Voted, To accept Section 8 of Article XII.

Section 10. To aid in the proper enforcement of the foregoing regulations, the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to employ some suitable person to inspect all buildings in process of erection or alteration. His compensation shall be such as the Selectmen shall determine.

Voted, That the subject matter of Section 10 of Article XII of the By-Laws be referred to the Committee of Fifteen, appointed March 19, 1909.

Section 9. In the erection of new buildings and repairing of old ones, no tower or steeple shall be built in the town of Stoneham, to a height exceeding (30) feet above the ridgepole of the main building, unless it be built entirely of fire proof materials; and in no case shall it exceed forty (40) feet in height above said ridgepole.

Voted, To accept Section 9 of Article XII.

Fire Stops

Section 1. The exterior and interior walls of all wooden buildings, hereafter erected, shall have the space between the studding at the top and bottom of each story, divided or separated by a fire stop so as to check effectually the draft between one story to another, and from the vertical spaces in the wall to the horizontal passages between the floor timbers. The spaces between stringers or carriages are left exposed, shall be closed at intervals not exceeding three feet, by substantial stops of incombustible material.

Voted, To accept Section 1 under Fire Stops of Article XII.

Section 3. Any person guilty of a violation of any of the foregoing provisions, in relation to the prevention of fires and construction of buildings, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Voted, To accept Section 2 under Fire Stops of Article XII.

All By-Laws of the Town of Stoneham, heretofore existing, shall, after the adoption of these By-Laws by the legal voters of this town, at their duly authorized meeting, and after three successive publications thereof and the approval of the same by the Attorney General, be annulled and repealed.

Voted, To accept the foregoing as part of the By-Laws.

Voted, That the By-Laws, as amended and accepted at this meeting, adjourned from time to time, be and hereby are accepted and adopted as a whole.

ARTICLE 7

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars to prepare and print 1000 copies of the By-Laws as accepted, adopted and approved.

Voted, To adjourn.

List of Jurors as Revised by the Selectmen, June 15, 1909

Abbott, Charles J., 17 Ledge st, Painter
Abbott, Ernest L., 42 Hancock st, Shoemaker
Ahern, William H., 12 Lindenwood Road, Clerk
Averill, John F., 62 Central st, Carpenter
Bancroft, Rodney N., 31 Main st, Farmer
Bancroft, Walter C., 17 Hancock st, Shoe Cutter
Bancroft, Wendall I., 45½ Gould st, Teamster
Blodgett, George H., 130 Summer st, Leather Sorter
Briggs, William H., 10 Common st, Shoemaker
Bruce, Louis F., 3 Warren st, Fire Engineer
Bryant, Seth C., 2 Spring st, Shoe Cutter
Bucknam, George O., 9 East st, Florist
Burnham, Herbert S., 5 Fuller st, Shoe Stock
Burnham, Victor R., 1 Lincoln, st, Clerk
Butler, Charles F., 33 High st, Clerk
Carr, Charles H., 46 High st, Farmer
Carter, Charles H. W., 21 Green st, Stock Fitter
Carter, George E., 107 Franklin st, Carpenter
Chamberlain, Arthur W., 27 Waverly st, Manager
Cloutman, Charles E., 36 Hancock st, Shoe Fitter
Cloutman, Charles Elmer, 8 Gerry st, Shoemaker
Cochran, Lemuel P., 74 Elm st, Farmer
Connors, Michael, 46 Montvale ave, Shoemaker
Cutts, Louis C., 4 Albion ave., Clerk
Danforth, Fred A., 315 Main st, Box Maker
Daniels, Everett B., 36 Hancock st, Shoe Cutter
Delano, Ethan L., 77 Pleasant st, Machinist
Delano, Horace H., 14 Montvale ave, Box Maker
Dike, Winfred, 48 Pleasant st, Florist
Emery, T. Fred, 2 Hancock st, Carpenter
Farley, Owen A., 113 Elm st, Foreman
Fisk, Wilbur W., 317 Main st, Coal Dealer
Fox, James, 150 Franklin st, Farmer

Fulton, James E., 18 Flint ave., Shoe Cutter
Gale, John D., 19 Hancock st, Retired
Garside, William, 1 Lincoln st, Machinist
Gray, John, 10 Park Way, Roofer
Green, Horace, 56 Green st, Farmer
Hardy, Charles E., 45 Warren st, Sole Cutter
Harris, Frank P., 20 Flint ave, Foreman
Hartford, Irvin, 23 Highland ave, Shoemaker
Hay, Homer C., 103 Central st, Shoe Cutter
Hay, Winthrop P., 6 Pine st, Clerk
Hayward, Albert A., 6 Winthrop st, Gipsy Moth Work
Hill, Harry A., 3 Cedar ave, Bookkeeper
Holden, Albert A., 8 Hill court, Meat Cutter
Howe, Walter E., 182 Main st, Shoe Cutter
Jenkins, F. Austin, 350 Main st, Shoemaker
Johnson, Frank W., 85 Central st, Retired
Jones, Perez C., 13 Cedar ave, Janitor
Keene, Benjamin P., 28 Pomeworth st, Shoemaker
Kelley, John W., 1 Pine st, Shoe Cutter
Kerns, Fred E., 13 Montvale ave, Shoe Cutter
Kinsley, George C., 24 Gerry st, Stock Fitter
Lahey, James A., 14 Broadway, Stone Mason
Leathe, John J., 225 Main st, Gardener
Leavitt, Winfield I., 11 Highland ave, Pullman Conductor
Lindsey, Harry J., 48 Gould st, Shoemaker
Lucier, Louis F., 125 Franklin st, Shoemaker
Lufler, Hiram H., 20 Pond st, Farmer
Lynde, Clarence S., 343 Main st, Shoe Cutter
Marr, Frank A., 32 Hancock st, Shoemaker
Martsch, Willam P., 16 Summerhill st, Park
McDonnell, Joseph H., 8 Walnut st, Shoemaker
McManus, Frederick C., 45 Marble st, Shoe Cutter
MacPhee, Arthur, 33 Bow st, Farmer
Meade, Maurice, 84 Main st, Retired
Mellett, Harry W., 134 Elm st, Clerk
Merrill, Chester F., 23 Flint ave, Shoemaker

Messer, Myron W., 346 Main st, Retired
Moody, Charles A., 5 Tremont st, Merchant
Newhall, Arthur N., 50 Gould st, Shoe Stock
Newhall, George W., 50 Gould st, Shoe Stock
Parks, Abijah E., 76 Summer st, Shoemaker
Parks, Frank E., 76 Summer st, Gypsy Moth Work
Parks, William G., 8 Benton st, Shoemaker
Parsons, Charles H., 7 Prospect st, Stock Fitter
Payson, Louis F., Pond st, Shoemaker
Peacock, Alfred T., 6 Rafferty st, Shoe Cutter
Perkins, Oscar A., 34 Gould st, Shoemaker
Peterson, William G., 91 Franklin st, Stock Fitter
Poole, Melvin D., 9 Park st, Shoe Cutter
Quinby, Sherman, 7 Chestnut st, Gardener
Richardson, Oscar J., 6 Duncklee ave, Shoemaker
Richardson, William H., 37 Gould st, Shoe Cutter
Rickey, Chester F. S., 12 Steele st, Student
Roberts, Israel R., 62 Hancock st, Shoemaker
Sheridan, Robert E., 285 Main st, Caterer
Smith, Albert J., 6 Hersam st, Painter
Smith, Stephen, 28 High st, Retired
Sullivan, Timothy J., 17 Pine st, Retired
Tidd, John B., 25 North st, Farmer
Trefry, Joseph B., 2 Montvale ave, Shoemaker
Walker, Enos F., 31 Pleasant st, Shoemaker
Wallace, Henry D., 14 Pond st, Shoemaker
Walsh, John, 200 Franklin st, Florist
Walton, Louis S., 97 Elm st, Stock Fitter
Webber, Everett, 17 Congress st, Carpenter
Webber, Parker G., 14 Chestnut st, Carpenter
Whitcher, Milton D., 19A Pleasant st, Shoemaker
Woodward, Wallace, 82 Pleasant st, Shoe Cutter
Wright Ambrose E. B., 12 Wright st, Shoemaker

Boston & Northern Street Railway Company
Location of Tracks on Main Street

PETITION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Stoneham:

Respectfully represents your petitioner, the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company, that it is a corporation existing and doing business in said Town of Stoneham, and respectfully petitions your Honorable Board for a location for an extension of its tracks in said Stoneham as follows:

Commencing at and connecting with tracks as now laid in Main Street near Franklin Street in said Stoneham and continuing over said Main Street to Marble Street, a second track parallel with the present track and for the relocation of so much of the existing tracks as may be necessary to complete a double track between said points.

Also connecting with said tracks above referred to in Main Street near Marble Street, and continuing over said Main Street to the line of the Middlesex Fells Reservation, and at that point connecting with tracks, the location for which has been granted by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners, a double track.

Also with all necessary curves, switches and cross connections on both locations above referred to.

And to erect, maintain and use such poles, wires and other appliances as are usual and necessary in the overhead trolley system of street car propulsion, and to propel cars by such system over the said tracks with electricity as the motive power, or to use such other motive power as the laws of this Commonwealth permit, and the Board of Selectmen shall from time to time approve; and to make such underground and surface alterations in the ways through which this extension is granted as may be necessary.

All in accordance with plan to be filed at the hearing to be had hereon.

(Signed)
BOSTON & NORTHERN STREET RAILWAY CO.
By P. F. SULLIVAN, President.

Stoneham, Mass., January 12th, 1909.

NOTICE OF HEARING

STONEHAM, MASS., January 15, 1909.

On account of an omission in the petition of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co., dated January 6, 1909, the same has been withdrawn, and the hearing advertised for January 26, 1909, will not be held.

In accordance with the foregoing petition, the Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing in the Selectmen's room on Wednesday, February 3, 1909, at 8 o'clock P. M.

(Signed)
ARTHUR N. NEWHALL,
CHARLES F. BUCK,
GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

ORDER OF LOCATION

TOWN OF STONEHAM
IN BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
February 1, 1909.

Whereas, the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company, under date of January twelfth, A. D. nineteen hundred and nine, petition the Board of Selectmen of the town of Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex, for a location for an extension of its tracks on Main Street from Franklin Street to South Street, and for a relocation of its existing tracks on Main Street between Franklin Street and Marble Street, in said Stoneham, and whereas said Selectmen did give notice of said petition to all parties interested, of the time and place at which said Board of Selectmen would consider said petition, at least fourteen

days before the date set for the hearing thereon, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and order of notice thereon to be published at least fourteen days before the third day of February, A. D. nineteen hundred and nine, in the "Stoneham Independent," a paper published weekly in said Stoneham, and said Selectmen did, at the office of said Board of Selectmen, in Hill's Block, on Wednesday, February the third, A. D. nineteen hundred and nine, at eight o'clock P. M., hear all parties interested in the said matter, it is hereby

Ordered by the Board of Selectmen under and by virtue of the authority duly invested in them, that the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company be granted the location for an extension of its existing tracks and the relocation incidental thereto, and be granted permission to construct said track as indicated on a plan hereinafter specifically referred to, on Main Street in said Town of Stoneham, and to erect, place and maintain and use such poles, wires and other appliances as are usual and necessary in the overhead trolley system of street car propulsion, and to propel cars by such system over the said tracks, with electricity as the motive power, or to use such other motive power as the laws of this Commonwealth permit, and the Board of Selectmen shall from time to time approve; and to make such underground alterations in the ways through which this location is granted as may be necessary.

The location and grade of said double track to be as follows:

Beginning at or near Franklin Street on said Main Street, continuing southerly in the centre of Main Street to Marble Street, and thence on the westerly side of Main Street to South Street, and there connecting with the double tracks, locations for which have been granted by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners, and all as shown on plan filed at the hearing hereinbefore referred to, and

entitled, "Boston & Northern Street Railway Co., Proposed Location of Track from South Street to Franklin Street, Jan. 25th, 1909, Rd. Dept. R1-2165," but subject to any changes required to conform to the terms of this franchise.

The location and grade of that portion of said tracks south of Marble street shall be such as shall be fixed by the Massachusetts Highway Commission.

Between Franklin Street and Marble Street the grade shall be such as shall be furnished by the Selectmen of the Town of Stoneham, or its duly authorized representatives.

The trolley, feed and other wires of said Company shall be supported by two lines of poles, one on each side of the street, the proposed locations of which are shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to, except that joint poles shall be used wherever the Board of Selectmen require them.

All poles shall be of Chestnut, reasonably straight and painted.

The rails used between Franklin Street and Marble Street, on said Marble Street, and to a point one hundred feet southerly from Marble Street, and curves into Marble Street, as shown on plan, shall be of Girder type, weighing not less than ninety pounds per yard; the remaining portion, Tee rails, weighing not less than seventy-five pounds per yard.

All tracks laid with Girder rails shall be paved with granite blocks within the tracks, between the tracks, and eighteen inches on each outside thereof, to the satisfaction of the Board of Selectmen.

When the westerly track between Marble Street and South Street is laid, the space between the rails and two feet on the easterly side of the easterly rail thereof, shall be macadamized to the satisfaction of the Massachusetts State Highway Commission and the Board of Selectmen; and until the easterly track is laid, the remaining space between the above mentioned macadam and the macadam

maintained by the Massachusetts State Highway Commission, shall be made and kept safe for travel by said Boston & Northern Street Railway Company, to the satisfaction of the Massachusetts State Highway Commission and the Board of Selectmen.

When the easterly track between Marble Street and South Street is laid, all the space between the tracks and the macadamized roadway maintained by the Massachusetts State Highway Commission, shall be macadamized to the satisfaction of the Massachusetts State Highway Commission and the Board of Selectmen.

The grading for both tracks and other changes made reasonably necessary by the construction of the road, shall be completed within one year from the date of the acceptance of this location by said Company.

All cutting and blasting shall be done to the street line, and to the grade of the street, and a stone gutter constructed on the westerly side of its tracks next to the sidewalk, of sufficient size to carry away, and take care of, all surface water on the westerly side of the street, whereever the conditions of this street require it, all to the satisfaction of the Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works of the Town of Stoneham.

The Boston & Northern Street Railway Company shall raise or lower any sidewalk to conform to the grade of the street, as established by the Massachusetts Highway Commission, where deemed necessary by the Board of Selectmen, and rebuild the same in a substantial and like manner as they now exist, at its own expense; and assume and pay and hold the Town of Stoneham harmless from land damages, if any, which may be due to the establishment of a grade for a sidewalk on account of the presence of the tracks in said highway other than would have been established.

In no instance shall the most westerly track or rail be nearer than eleven feet from the westerly bound of said Main Street.

All spaces that come opposite to the present private driveways or cross streets on the westerly side of Main Street, between Marble and South Streets, shall be paved. All driveways and entrances to property which may be injured by the work done under this order, shall be put into as good condition as previously existed, by said Railway Company, and at its expense, and to the satisfaction of the Board of Selectmen.

Both of the tracks on Main Street extending from Franklin Street to Marble street, locations for which are hereby granted, shall be laid and completed, and in full operation, one year from the date of the acceptance of this franchise by said Company; and Main street, wherever it has been disturbed by the laying of said tracks or by any necessary change of grade, the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company shall make said street conform to such changed grade, and restore the surface of the street to proper condition.

The westerly tracks of the two tracks between Marble street and South street, the location for which is hereby granted, shall be complete and in operation, and all the grading for both the tracks between Marble street and South street shall be completed within one year from the date of acceptance.

The work of the construction of the second track between South street and Marble street shall be completed and operation of cars over same be begun, coincident with a similar construction and operation of the second track in the Middlesex Fells, location for which has been granted by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners, provided, however, that said Company shall not be required to construct said second track within a period of two years from the date of the acceptance of this location by said Company.

All the work and materials called for shall be furnished by, and at the expense of said Railway Company;

and said Railway Company shall hold harmless the Town of Stoneham from all liability during the progress of the work, and by reason of the construction thereof.

Shade trees shall not be cut or trimmed without a written permit from the Massachusetts State Highway Commission, or the Tree Warden of the Town of Stoneham, or their duly authorized representative, in the portions of territory respectively controlled.

This location and the rights hereby granted shall not become valid and operative unless said Company files with this Board and the Maasachusetts Highway Commission an acceptance of the same within thirty days after the approval hereof by the Massachusetts Board of Railroad Commissioners.

(Signed)
ARTHUR N. NEWHALL,
GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD,
CHARLES F. BUCK,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

APPROVAL OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

In Board of Railroad Commissioners.

June 15, 1909.

Petition of the Boston and Northern Street Railway Company for approval of location in Stoneham.

After notice and hearing and full consideration, it is

Ordered, That the Board hereby certify that the location and relocation of the tracks of the Boston and Northern Street Railway in Main street in the town of Stoneham, established under orders of the Selectmen of said town and the Massachusetts Highway Commissioners dated respectively February 18, 1909, and May 25, 1909, copies of which orders with accompanying plans are on file in this office, are consistent with the public interests.

Attest:
(Signed) CHARLES E, MANN Clerk.

A true copy,
Attest: (Signed) CHARLES E. MANN, Clerk.

ACCEPTANCE OF LOCATION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Stoneham:

The Boston and Northern Street Railway Company, and the Directors of the Boston and Northern Street Railway Company hereby accept, subject to and in accordance with all general laws applicable, the location and relocation of the Company's tracks in Main street, and all other places shown on the plan accompanying the grant of location and relocation hereby accepted in the Town of Stoneham, established under orders of your Honorable Board, and the Massachusetts Highway Commission, dated respectively February 18, 1909, and May 25, 1909, and certified to by the Honorable Board of Railroad Commissioners of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in accordance with the provisions of Section sixty-four and sixty-five of Chapter four hundred and sixty-three of the Acts of the year 1906, by a certificate dated June 15, 1909, which location and relocation is as follows:

A relocation of existing tracks and construction of a second track between Franklin and Marble streets, and an extension of tracks referred to in the grant of location and relocation.

(Signed)

BOSTON & NORTHERN STREET RAILWAY COMPANY AND THE DIRECTORS OF THE BOSTON & NORTHERN STREET RAILWAY COMPANY,

By P. F. Sullivan,
Robert S. Goss,
J. H. Cunningham,
Percey Parker,
Alex. B. Bruce,
J. W. Bartlett,
J. A. Parker,
J. H. Goodspeed,

Majority Board of Directors of the Boston & Northern St. Ry. Co.

Boston, June 30, 1909.

DIRECTORS VOTE

I hereby certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Boston and Northern Street Railway Company, duly called according to the by-laws and held at its office in Boston on the thirtieth day of June 1909, at which meeting a quorum was present, the acceptance to which this certificate is attached was presented, read and considered and thereupon a vote, of which the following is a true copy, was passed by the unanimous vote of all the Directors present.

Voted, That this Company and the Board of Directors of this Company accept the location and relocation of its tracks in Main st, as shown on the plan accompanying the grant of locations and relocation hereby accepted in the Town of Stoneham, established under orders of the Selectmen of said town and the Massachusetts Highway Commission, dated respectively February 18, 1909, and May 25, 1909, and certified to by the Honorable Board of Railroad Commissioners on June 15, 1909, and that the Directors be, and they and each of them hereby are authorized and requested to sign, in the name and in behalf of this Company, and of the Board of Directors of this Company, the acceptance of said location and relocation, which has just been read, each and all the terms and provisions of which are hereby adopted as part of this vote, and that the Clerk be, and he hereby is authorized and directed to attach to said acceptance a certified copy of this vote, together with a certificate that said acceptance is the acceptance read and considered at this meeting.

A true copy Attest:

(Signed) CHARLES WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Boston & Northern Street Railway Company Location of Cross-over, Main Street.

PETITION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Stoneham:

Respectfully represents your petitioner, the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company, a corporation established and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, that it desires an extension of its tracks in the town of Stoneham, as hereinafter set forth, and that public convenience and necessity require such an extension.

Wherefore, it respectfully petitions your Honorable Board that it be granted the right to construct a cross-over in Main street in said Town of Stoneham, substantially as shown by red lines on plain marked "Boston & Northern St. Ry. Co. Proposed location of the cross-over near Stoneham square, Main street, Stoneham, Mass. Scale 1"-40', July 14, 1909, Road Dept. d-2443," or otherwise as the judgment of your Honorable Board may deem best.

And to erect, place, maintain and use such poles, wires and other appliances as are usual and necessary in the overhead trolley system of street car propulsion, and to propel cars by such system over the said track with electricity as the motive power, or to use such other motive power as the laws of this Commonwealth permit, and the Board of Selectmen shall, from time to time, approve; and to make such surface alterations in the ways, through which this extension is granted, as may be necessary.

Stoneham, Mass., July 28th, 1909.

(Signed)

BOSTON & NORTHERN STREET RAILWAY COMPANY

By P. F. Sullivan, President.

NOTICE OF HEARING

In accordance with the foregoing petition, the Selectmen will hold a public hearing in the Selectmen's Room on Tuesday, August 24, 1909, at 8 o'clock P. M.

(Signed)
ARTHUR N. NEWHALL,
CHARLES F. BUCK,
GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

Stoneham, August 3, 1909.

ORDER OF LOCATION

TOWN OF STONEHAM,
IN BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
August 24, 1909.

Upon the petition of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company, dated July 28th, 1909, for location of cross-over, and right to construct same in Main street in said Town of Stoneham, substantially as shown by red lines on plan marked, "Boston & Northern St. Ry. Co. Proposed location of cross-over near Stoneham square, Main street, Stoneham, Mass. Scale 1"-40', July 14, 1909, Road Dept. d-2443."

The cross-over to be of nine inch girder rail, block paved to the satisfaction of the Supt. of Streets and the Board of Railroad Commissioners, and all to be subject to the general provisions of law applicable thereto.

(Signed)
ARTHUR N. NEWHALL,
CHARLES F. BUCK,
GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

APPROVAL OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

In Board of Railroad Commissioners.

October 1, 1909.

Petition of the Boston and Northern Street Railway Company for approval of location in Stoneham.

After notice and hearing and full consideration, it is

Ordered, That the Board hereby certify that the location for a cross-over of the Boston & Northern Street Railway in Main Street in the Town of Stoneham, established under an order of the Selectmen of said town, dated August 24, 1909, a copy of which order, with the accompanying plan is on file in this office, is consistent with public interests.

Attest:

(Signed) CHARLES E. MANN Clerk.

A true copy,

Attest: (Signed) CHARLES E. MANN, Clerk.

ACCEPTANCE OF LOCATION. (CROSS-OVER.)

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF STONEHAM:

The Boston & Northern Street Railway Company hereby accepts, subject to and in accordance with all general laws thereto applicable, the location for its tracks in Main Street in the Town of Stoneham, granted by an order of the Selectmen of said Town dated August 24, 1909, and certified by the Honorable Board of Railroad Commissioners to be consistent with the public interests in its order dated October 1, 1909.

BOSTON & NORTHERN STREET RAILWAY CO.

By CHARLES WILLIAMS, Clerk.

BOSTON MASS., October 28, 1909.

I hereby certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company, duly called and held on the twenty-eighth day of October

1909, at which a majority of the Directors were present, the acceptance of location to which this certificate is attached, was read and considered, and that a vote of which the following is a true copy was passed.

Voted, That this Company accept a location for its tracks in Main Street in the Town of Stoneham, granted by the Honorable Selectmen of said Town by an order of said Selectmen dated August 24, 1909, and certified by the Honorable Board of Railroad Commissioners to be consistent with the public interests, on the 1st day of October 1909, and that the Clerk be, and hereby he is authorized and directed, in the name and on behalf of this Company, to sign the acceptance which has just been read of said location, to attach to said acceptance a copy of this vote, and to file the said acceptance with the Honorable Selectmen of said Town.

Attest:
(Signed) CHARLES WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, September 1, 1909.

Charles A. Owen was elected Moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 2

Voted, To extend the sewer in Franklin street from its present terminus at the corner of Highland avenue and Franklin street, easterly to Stevens street.

Voted, To authorize the Town Treasurer to sell four sewer bonds of the denomination of $1000 each, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, and to appropriate the proceeds from the sale of said bonds for the construction of the sewer in Franklin street as voted.

ARTICLE 4

Voted, To reconsider the vote passed March 19, 1909, whereby it was voted, "To lay a water main in and through Broadway, from Main street easterly, to connect with the water main in High street."

Voted, To indefinitely postpone further consideration or this article.

ARTICLE 5

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Broadway, from Main street easterly, for a distance of 400 feet.

Voted, To appropriate a sum not to exceed $400 for the water main in and through Broadway as voted, said appropriation to be paid from the receipts for water.

ARTICLE 6

Voted, To appropriate the sum of $1500 for highways.

ARTICLE 8

Voted, To concrete the sidewalk on the southerly side of Montvale avenue, between Wright street and Chestnut street, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of $38.50 to concrete the sidewalk on the southerly side of Montvale avenue, between Wright street and Chestnut street, as voted.

ARTICLE 9

Voted, To lay a tile drain in the water course leading westerly over land of James Blenkhorn for a distance of 100 feet from Main street.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of $200 to lay a tile drain in the water course leading westerly over land of James Blenkhorn for a distance of 100 feet from Main street as voted.

Voted, To adjourn.

Town Meeting

TUESDAY, November 5, 1909.

Meeting called to order by Arthur N. Newhall, Chairman of the Selectmen, and the warrant was read by the Town Clerk, after which the Chairman announced as Ballot Clerks and Tellers, who had been previously appointed by the Selectmen, as required by law, who were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Ballot Clerks, Charles A. Stone, John A. Alden, Charles P. Brawley, Leon E. Blodgett.

Tellers, Clarence S. Lynde, Charles E. Cloutman, William P. Martsch, James H. Fitzgerald, James E. Fulton, John W. Kelley.

The first set of ballots was delivered to the Ballot Clerks, who receipted for the same; after which the ballot box was inspected, register set at 0, locked and the keys given in charge of Constable Sumner H. Green, and the polls declared open.

Voted. To close the polls at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The Chairman appointed as additional Tellers to assort and count the ballots, the following, who were sworn by the Town Clerk:

Republicans, Albert R. Ramsdell, George A. Hersam, Frank E. Parks, John Best, John D. Anderson.

Democrats, Fred E. Kerns, Lawrence J. Fedigan, Alfred T. Peacock, Francis S. Desmond, George T. Callahan.

By unanimous consent of the Selectmen and Town Clerk, at two o'clock in the afternoon the ballot box was opened and ballots taken therefrom for the purpose of counting.

Three "Holt Counting Apparatus" were used in counting the ballots; two Republicans and two Democrats assigned to each.

At four o'clock in the afternoon, in accordance with

the vote previously taken, the Chairman declared the polls closed; at which time the ballot box registered 987, as ascertained by the Town Clerk.

The check list at the gate had the names of ten hundred and seventeen persons checked as having received ballots.

The check list at the ballot box had the names of ten hundred and seventeen persons checked as having voted.

The number of ballots given out by the Ballot Clerks was ten hundred and seventeen.

The number of ballots not given out and returned to the Town Clerk was nine hundred and eighty-three.

The number of ballots taken from the ballot box as counted by the Chairman was ten hundred and seventeen.

All the ballots cast having been assorted and counted, tabulated and proved, the blocks of ballots sealed, and the tally sheets properly signed, declaration of the same was made as follows:

BALLOTS

Whole number cast	1017

GOVERNOR

Eben S. Draper of Hopedale, Republican	519
John A. Nicholls of Boston, Prohibition	29
Moritz E. Ruther of Holyoke, Soc. Labor	5
James H. Vahey of Watertown, Democrat	427
Daniel A. White of Brockton, Socialist	12
Blank	25

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

Eugene N. Foss of Boston, Democrat	431
Louis A. Frothingham of Boston, Republican	519
George A. Hall of Boston, Socialist	10
Ernest R. Knipe of Holyoke, Prohibition	19
Lawrence Yates of New Bedford, Soc. Labor	8
Blank	30

SECRETARY

David T. Clark of Williamstown, Democrat	291
Harriet D'Orsay of Lynn, Socialist	16
Henry C. Hess of Boston, Soc. Labor	10
William G. Merrill of Malden, Prohibition	29
William M. Olin of Boston, Republican	572
Blank	99

TREASURER

James H. Bryan of Westfield, Democrat	305
James B. Carr of Chelmford, Socialist	18
David Craig of Milford, Soc. Labor	9
Daniel Parlin of Worcester, Prohibition	23
Elmer A. Stevens of Somerville, Republican	564
Blank	98

AUDITOR

Alexie Boyer Jr. of Southbridge, Democrat	280
Charles A. Chace of Swansea, Prohibition	24
Sylvester J. McBride of Watertown, Socialist	15
Jeremiah P. McNally of Salem, Soc. Labor	17
Henry E. Turner of Malden, Republican	553
Blank	128

ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Henry M. Dean of Hyde Park, Prohibition	38
John A. Fredrickson of Quincy, Soc. Labor	11
Dana Malone of Greenfield, Republican	542
Harvey N. Shepard of Boston, Democrat	295
John Weaver Sherman of Boston, Socialist	19
Blank	112

COUNCILLOR, Sixth District

Henry G. Burke of Lowell, Socialist	20
Charles H. Callahan of Lowell, Democrat	292
Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford, Republican	560
Blank	145

SENATOR, Sixth Middlesex District

John J. Butler of Wakefield, Democrat	352
J. Howell Crosby of Arlington, Republican	555
Blank	110

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
Thirty-first Middlesex District

Joseph W. Holden of Stoneham	738
Scattering	13
Blank	266

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Middlesex

Patrick Conlon of Lowell, Democrat	277
Robert J. Kelly of Lowell, Socialist	23
Samuel O. Upham of Waltham, Republican	574
Blank	143

COUNTY TREASURER, Middlesex

Joseph O. Hayden of Somerville, Republican	566
Anson B. Hobbs of Cambridge, Socialist	25
Dexter C. Whittemore of Carlisle, Democrat	269
Blank	157

Voted, To Adjourn.

Dogs Licensed

182 Males at $2.00		$376.00
23 Females at 5.00		115.00
		$491.00
Paid County Treasurer	$448.80	
Paid Town Treasurer	42.20	
		$491.00

GEORGE N. GREEN,
Town Clerk.

Report of the

Board of Selectmen

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Board of Selectmen respectfully present the following report for the year ending December 31, 1909:

FINANCES

The reports of the Town Treasurer and Auditors show the financial condition of the town in detail.

The bonded debt (exclusive of the water debt) is now $114,000.00, the net reduction for the year having been $1,000.00 as $7,000.00 of bonds have been paid, and $6,000.00 new sewer bonds having been issued.

The present indebtedness, as represented by outstanding notes for money borrowed in anticipation of taxes for the current year, is $30,000.00 and in this connection, it seems necessary to again call attention to the fact that the taxes under the present system are not properly collected as there is, at present (Dec. 31, 1909,) outstanding in uncollected taxes the sum of $69,324.50—an unreasonably large amount for a town of our valuation.

Vigorous and systematic effort in the collection of taxes seems necessary for the welfare of the town, and we recommend that the compensation of the Collector of Taxes be based on a percentage of the moneys he actually pays over to the Town Treasurer.

This method, while not new, has many advantages over the present plan. It would seem to be fair to both town and Collector of Taxes, and would doubtless provide an incentive for more prompt collection of our taxes.

LAW SUITS

There are now pending against the town the following suits:

Burns vs. Town. (Alleged injuries received at Armory.)

New England Sanitorium vs. Town. (Tax suit.) This suit has been argued before the Supreme Judicial court and no decision has as yet been handed down.

The case of Cullen vs. Town has been settled by the Liability Insurance Company.

In the two suits of Cosgriff vs. Town (stone-crusher cases so called,) judgment was for the town.

JURORS DRAWN

The following is a list of jurors drawn during the year: William Munn, Addison W. Richardson, William J. Corcoran, Fred Steele, Frank L. Tabbut, George E. Sturtevant, Fred E. Kerns, Chas. H. Parsons, John G. O'Brien, S. J. Killorin, Chas. H. Poole, William D. Baxter, John W. Kelley, John C. C. Small, William H. Briggs, Ernest L. Abbott, Hiram H. Lufler, Chas. H. W. Carter, Chester F. Rickey, Ernest Webber, Alfred T. Peacock, Frank A. Marr, George W. Newhall, Wendall I. Bancroft, Albert A. Holden, Walter C. Bancroft, Milton D. Whitcher, Chas. F. Butler, Perez C. Jones, Wilbur W. Fisk, Lemuel P. Cochran, Timothy J. Sullivan.

STREET LIGHTS

Fifteen incandescent lights have been installed during the year, and all lights burn one-half hour later at night.

For the year 1910, we estimate the sum of $4,330.00 will be required for street lights. This represents the gross charge for current for the lamps now installed, and, as the town gets a 5 per cent allowance from these gross rates, that allowance will doubtless defray the expenses of any lights which may be added during 1910.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

There have been no changes in this department during the past year.

With three regular officers, two of whom do night duty, the town is left with no officer available for day duty or emergency during parts of many days, when the Chief, who acts as day officer, is out of town attending court or on other Police business. This seems a particularly unsatisfactory plan and the remedy would seem to be to have another regular officer, or a special officer for duty during the absence of the Chief. Following is the report of the Chief of Police:

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—I submit the following report of the work of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1909.

Number of Arrests	91
Males	86
Females	5
Resident	71
Non Resident	20

CAUSES OF ARRESTS

Assault and Battery	6
Adultery	2
Being a Tramp	3
Cruelty to Animals	2
Concealing Mortgaged Property	1
Conspiracy	1
Disturbing the Peace	1
Delinquent Child	2
Drunks	39
Gaming on the Lords' Day	11
Insane	5
Idle and Disorderly	1
Injury to Property	1

Larceny	6
Non-Support of Child	5
State Pauper	1
Trespass	1
Violation of Speed Law	3

DISPOSITION OF CASES

Fines Imposed Number of	34
Amount of Fines Imposed	$235
Asylum	5
Fines Paid	32
Placed on File	21
Discharged	5
Committed to House of Correction for Sentence	9
Committed to House of Correction for Default of Bail	6
Committed to Lyman School	1
Committed to State Farm	2
Committed to State Almshouse	1
Committed to State Industrial School	1
Committed to State Board of Charity	1
Grand Jury	1
Continued	3
Turned Over to Other Officers	2
Accidents Reported	9
Buildings Found Open	23
Specially Protected	7
Cases Investigated	83
Disturbances Suppressed	23
Detailed Private Assemblages	32
Detailed Public Assemblages	84
Dead Bodies Cared for	1
Defects in Highway	8
Defects in Gas Pipe	5
Defects in Water Pipe	12
Defects in Electric Lights	97
Dogs Killed	18

Lost Children	5
Lanterns in Dangerous Places	8
Nuisances	4
Officers at Fires	24
Sick and Disabled People Assisted	9
Stray Teams Cared for	4
Number Cared for in the Lockup (Prisoners)	57

In submitting my report, I would respectfully call the attention of the citizens to the need of a light ambulance in cases of sickness and accidents.

I desire to tender my thanks to your Honorable Board, to the regular and special officers, and to all others, who have kindly assisted me in the performance of my duties for the past year.

Respectfully Submitted,
SUMNER H. GREEN,
Chief of Police and Lockup Keeper.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

The weakest feature of this department is the inability to get the apparatus to fires more quickly, and we fail to see how this can be remedied while we depend on hired horses to haul the apparatus. We are not prepared to recommend the purchase of fire horses, but on the score of reaching fires more promptly, there is considerable advantage in that plan without doubt.

That the department does good work after reaching fires, is very generally conceded, we think.

The report of the Engineers of the Fire Department follows:

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Engineers of the Fire Department respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1909.

There has been 25 alarms of fire.

March 5. Box 8. Call to assist Reading Department at a church fire at Reading.

March 15. Box 45. Grass fire on G. W. Knapp's farm, William street. Cause, unknown. No damage.

March 18. Box 23. Brush fire in woods on North side of Montvale avenue. Cause, unknown.

March 23. Box 23. Brush fire in woods on South side of Spring street in rear of T. W. Howard leather factory. Cause, burning barrel of waste oil. No damage.

March 24. Box 23. Brush fire on land on South side of Franklin street. Cause, burning rubbish. No damage.

March 24. Box 23. Grass fire on J. B. Tidd's farm, North street. Cause, unknown. Loss covered by insurance.

March 24. Box 62. Fire in M. E. church on Common street. Cause, unknown. Loss covered by insurance.

March 30. Box 47. Fire on the roof of dwelling on Main street, owned by John McCarty. Cause, unknown. Damage slight. Insurance.

April 3. Box 54. Fire in henhouse on Elm street, owned by E. J. Wicker. Cause, unknown.

April 6. Box 53. Fire in chemical room in High School building on William street. Cause, spontaneous combustion. No insurance.

April 8. Box 63. Fire in shed in rear of paint shop on Emerson street, owned by A. A. Green. Cause, incendiary. Damage slight.

April 22. Box 53. Fire in dwelling house on Washington avenue, owned by John Quinn. Cause, overheated stove in cellar. Loss covered by insurance.

May 27. Box 28. Fire in dwelling house on Spring street, owned by R. B. Chapman. Cause, explosion of an oil stove. Loss covered by insurance.

June 15. Box 45. Fire in tool house on Main street, owned by James Duncklee. Cause, incendiary. Damage slight.

June 22. Box 38. Fire in dwelling house on Pond street, owned by John A. Wood. Cause, explosion of an oil stove. Loss covered by insurance.

July 4. Box 64. Fire in store house on Maple street, owned by American Glue Company. Cause, hot ashes dumped against shed. Loss covered by insurance.

July 8. Box 27. False alarm.

July 25. Still alarm for a chimney fire in a dwelling house on Wright street, owned by C. K. Mitchell.

October 28. Box 8. Call to Winchester to assist the Fire Department at a factory fire.

November 1. Box 62. Fire in basement of dwelling house on Main street, owned by C. A. Howard. Cause, hot ashes dumped on rubbish. No damage.

November 2. Box 63. Fire in blower pipe on the T. H. Jones Shoe Company's factory. Cause, unknown. Damage slight.

November 2. Box 63. Fire in an outbuilding on Franklin street in rear of W. R. Usher's building. Cause, unknown. Damage slight.

November 20. Box 38. Fire in dwelling house on Pond street, owned by J. A. Wood. Cause, spontaneous combustion. Damage slight.

November 20. Box 63. Fire in rear of carpenter shop on Pine street, owned by Frank Spencer. Cause, unknown. No damage.

November 24. Box 23. Fire in chimney of dwelling house on Montvale avenue, owned by J. E. Grigg. No damage.

During the year, property to the value of $152,193.00 has been endangered by fire, on which there has been a gross loss of $23,113.00. Insurance has been covered to the amount of $15,894.42, leaving a net loss of $7,218.58.

There has been used at fires, during the year, 15,800 feet of hose and 825 feet of ladders.

During the year, ladder truck No. 1, hose wagon No.

1 and hose wagon No. 3 have been varnished and are in good condition.

Engine No. 1 and hose wagon No. 2 will need painting and varnishing during the coming year.

The general condition of the equipment of the department is good.

During the past year, some 3 miles of new, covered wire has been used in the fire alarm system to replace old wire. Also some much needed changes have been made in the system.

During the coming year, as much of the old wire should be replaced as possible.

About 3,000 feet of hose is in good condition and 1,500 feet of hose in fair condition and about 1,000 feet of hose not reliable.

We wish to thank the members of your Honorable Board for the assistance and encouragement given us in the discharge of our duties during the year.

To the officers and members of the several companies, we extend our sincere thanks for the willing and efficient manner in which they have performed their duty.

We also wish to thank the Police Department for the aid rendered at fires by them, and the citizens of the town for their generous support given by them during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. STURTEVANT,
LOUIS F. BRUCE,
ALBERT J. SMITH,
Engineers of Fire Department.

SEALING OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

This department, in charge of Mr. Geo. B. Williams, is well conducted, we think, and his report follows:

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit the following report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures, accord-

ing to Chapter 62, Section 21, of the revised laws, for the year ending December 31, 1909:

Number of Scales tested and found correct	155
" " " " " adjusted	5
" " " tagged for repairs	18
" " " condemned	5
Total number of scales tested	183
Number of weights tested and found correct	344
" " " " " adjusted	33
" " " " " condemned	1
Total number of weights tested	378
Number of dry measures tested and found correct	166
" " " " adjusted	1
" " " " condemned	3
Total number of dry measures tested	170
Number of wet measures tested and found correct	167
" " " " condemned	21
Total number of wet measures tested	188
Number of milk jars tested and found correct	3824
" " " " condemned	728
Total number of milk jars tested	4552
Number of yard sticks tested and found correct	26
Total number of yard sticks tested	26
Number of personal scales tested and found correct	2
" " " " " " condemned	2
Total number of personal scales tested	4

Number of oil pumps tested and found correct	2
" " " " " " " incorrect	12
Total number of oil pumps tested	14

Incorrect pumps were adjusted (according to law.)

Reweighing of coal, test weighing in stores and inspecting pedlars and hawkers on street and also bakeries and stores where bread is sold 57

Total number of tests of all descriptions . 5572

GEORGE B. WILLIAMS,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

PUBLIC SCALES

In charge of Mr. Chas. F. Hayward, weigher, who reports as follows:

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

GENTLEMEN:—The weigher in charge of the Town Scales submits the following report:

Number of paying loads weighed during year		775
" " non-paying loads		33
Total loads weighed		808
Receipts		$77.50
Expenditures, Weigher's fee 75 pr. ct.	$58.12	
Scale book	$1.00	
		$59.12
Balance unexpended, Paid to Town Treasurer		$18.38

CHARLES F. HAYWARD,
Town Weigher.

ARMORY

The building is in fairly good condition, except the roof. The shingles have loosened and come off to some extent, during the past year, and an examination shows that the bullding will need to be re-shingled in the near

future. The amount received for rentals for the past year has been larger than usual—a total of $2289.45, including $900.00 from the state.

A new asbestos fire curtain and other changes ordered by the District Police, entailed expenditures amounting to $301.75.

BROWN TAIL AND GYPSY MOTH WORK

The town was required by law to raise and expend $2010.00 and the state reimbursed the town for all moneys paid out for public work in excess of that sum.

ARTHUR N. NEWHALL,
CHARLES F. BUCK,
GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

Report of the

Board of Health

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

We herewith present our annual report for your careful consideration.

The prevalence of contagious diseases in town has been larger than for several years past. It would no doubt have been epidemic had it not been controlled by supervision. Our Inspector of Plumbing made a thorough examination of the sanitation of the Public Schools. He found them all in good condition with the exception of the High School, which the School Committee were remedying. We requested the School Committee to put cupless drinking fountains into the school. They have put one into the High School and are installing them into all of the other schools.

We believe never before have the places where milk is raised been kept in such excellent condition.

A new law, providing that Boards of Health, in towns of more than 5,000 population should appoint an Inspector and Collector of Milk, was passed this year. The Selectmen fixed the salary and the Board of Health appointed Dr. Geo. H. Allen Inspector and Collector of Milk and Special Agent of the board for one year, beginning September 1, 1909; salary at the rate of $100.00 per year to March 1, 1910.

The Stoneham Tanning Company have made reason-

able effort to abate the disagreeable odors coming from this establishment.

The American Glue Company on Maple street were served with legal notice to abate the noxious odors arising from their works. They agreed through an attorney to cut out the use of fleshlings and other objectionable material in the manufacture of glue.

All necessary legal notice has been given and action taken to safeguard the interests of the citizens of Stoneham by this board in regard to the establishment of a slaughter house by the Union Packing and Refrigerating Company in Woburn, near the Stoneham line.

Repeated complaints about the piggeries and foul odors arising from decayed swill have been brought to the attention of this board; one case involved a public hearing and expenditure of money.

The State Board of Health have notified us that we have too many houses in the thickly settled parts of our town not connected with the public sewer.

Extension of the public sewer system, installation of modern sanitation in houses and proper regard for the health regulations of the board will do much to keep down death rate in town.

With the adoption of the new Town By-Laws, milk regulations were adopted by this board to be enforced by the Milk Inspector. Every producer of, and dealer in milk in Stoneham must have a Stoneham license.

The legal settlement law in contagious diseases is causing us much concern—one case cost the town $90.90, and we are holding up bills from other towns and cities, amounting to about $300.00.

We would recommend that the town appropriate, to cover all of our necessary expenses; viz., salaries, Plumbing Inspector, Agent and incidentals connected with our work.

We would recommend that the town vote an appro-

priation of $500.00 (under the law of 1902.) This would enable the board to connect premises with the public sewer, (if the owner failed to do so after legal notice,) without recourse to the courts.

STATISTICAL

Slaughtering permits granted	1
Permits to keep swine granted	15
Employing Plumber's licenses granted	1
Master Plumber's licenses granted	3
Nuisances ordered abated	21
Undertaker's licenses granted	3
Permits to board infants	3
Permit to clean out vaults and cesspools granted	1
Permit to collect dead animals and remove to Saugus	1
Total	49

Respectfully submitted
MARTYN D. SHEEHAN, M. D.,
GEORGE A. HINCHCLIFFE,
JOHN C. C. SMALL,
Board of Health.

STONEHAM, MASS., January, 1, 1910.

TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH,
STONEHAM MASS.

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1909:

Contagious diseases reported		47
Diphtheria	21	
Scarlet Fever	10	
Measles	6	
Typhoid Fever	5	
Membranous Croup	1	
Tuberculosis	4	
		47

Month	Diph.	Scarlet Fever	Measles	Typhoid Fever	Memb. Croup	Tuber.
February	1	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	1	0	2
April	2	0	0	1	0	0
May	0	1	1	0	1	0
June	0	0	1	0	0	0
July	0	0	1	0	0	0
August	0	0	0	1	0	2
September	0	5	0	2	0	0
October	10	3	0	0	0	0
November	6	1	0	0	0	0
December	2	0	3	0	0	0
	21	10	6	5	1	4

Number of deaths reported		110
Males	55	
Females	55	
		110

Average age of 55 Males	52yrs.
Average age of 55 Females	51yrs.

	Males	Females
Reported in January	9	5
" " February	4	6
" " March	5	8
" " April	3	2
" " May	3	2
" " June	9	5
" " July	3	5
" " August	4	3
" " September	5	3
" " October	6	7
" " November	2	4
" " December	2	5
	55	55

	Males	Females	
Under one year of age	4	7	
From one to five	2	2	
" five to ten	0	1	
" ten to fifteen	1	1	
" fifteen to twenty	0	2	
" twenty to thirty	3	1	
" thirty to forty	2	5	
" forty to fifty	6	3	
" fifty to sixty	4	5	
" sixty to seventy	15	11	
" seventy to eighty	14	8	
" eighty to ninety	4	8	
Over ninety	0	1	
	55	55	
Burial Permits Granted			88
Transport Permits Granted			7
Brought from other towns			15
			110
Plumbers' Permits Granted			73
Milk Licenses Issued			54

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE N. GREEN,

Agent.

STONEHAM, MASS., January 1, 1910.

TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH,

STONEHAM, MASS.,

GENTLEMEN:—I submit the following as my report for the year ending December 31, 1909.

By request of your Board, I have examined the plumbing in all of the school houses in town and submitted my report in writing as to their condition.

I have inspected seventy-three services, all of which have been approved, which comprised the following fixtures:

Sinks Installed		76
Water Closets		88
Basins		49
Bath Tubs		41
Wash Trays		28
Urinals		8
Buildings connected with the sewer		45
		335
Number of permits granted		73

Respectfully yours,

ANDREW J. BURNETT,

Inspector of Plumbing.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF HEALTH,

STONEHAM, MASS.,

GENTLEMEN:—Following is the report of your Milk Inspector, from September 1 to December 31, 1909.

Number of licenses issued to December 31		54
Retailers	29	
Stores	9	
Wholesale	16	
		54

The conditions under which Milk is raised is improving and must continue to improve. It is a fact that there is more Milk raised in Stoneham than in any other town of its size in the state and we hope, in the near future, to be able to state not only the most, but the best.

GEORGE H. ALLEN,

Milk Inspector.

Report of the

Public Library Trustees

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Trustees present their annual report.

The library has been kept well to the front as compared with other towns of our size, in its supply of books and periodicals, the past year. Our adult and children's reading rooms have had a large and growing attendance.

The Woman's Educational Association of Boston loaned photographs of Western Switzerland in April, and of the Grand Canyon of Colorado in October.

An exhibition of drawings by pupils of the public schools was opened in the library May 1, and was appreciated by hundreds of Stoneham people.

A framed copy of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, presented by J. P. Gould Relief Corps, has been hung on the wall of the children's reading room. Also the beautiful picture, "The Sistine Madonna" has been hung in the same room. The late Dr. W. S. Brown presented the library with a steel engraving of President Grant.

In October a Civil Service Manual in three volumes was placed in the library for the purpose of aiding Stoneham residents who desire to take civil service examinations.

We improved the lighting facilities of the library in in December by the addition of Tungsten burners and Holothane lamp shades.

The Nelson Loose-Leaf Encyclopedia, 1909 edition, has been put in the library, to be kept up-to-date by the addition of annual renewal pages to 1915.

The library has access to Nelson Bureau of General Scientific Research.

Patrons of the library may obtain information on any subject desired by mailing questions to the Library Trustees—on agriculture, astronomy, art, chemistry, electricity, engineering, economics, geography, history, literature, mathematics, and all allied subjects. This is in the line of university extension.

The Trustees are prepared to open the library Sundays and holidays should there be a sufficient demand for it.

All patrons using books are requested to use them carefully, as our rebinding bill is becoming large.

Among books added is a new edition of Charles Reade's novels and Plutarch's Lives in five vols.

LIST OF PERIODICALS IN READING ROOM

American Printer
Atlantic
Bookman
Cassiers
Century
Cosmopolitan
Country Life in America
Craftsman
Cumulative Book Index
Current Literature
Delineator
Electrical World
Everybody's
Good Housekeeping
Harpers
House Beautiful
Ladies Home Journal
McClures
Munsey
Review of Reviews
Scribner's
Strand
Success
International Studio
World's Work
Collier's Weekly
Independent
Harper's Weekly
Literary Digest
Ill. London News
Outlook
Scientific American
Scientific American Sup.
Children's Magazine
Four-footed Friends
Our Dumb Animals
St. Nicholas
Young Idea

Musician	Youth's Companion
New England	Saturday Evening Post
North American	Boston Evening Transcript (Wed. and Sat. editions)
Outing	Boston Journal
Pacific	Boston Herald
Pearson	Boston Globe
Popular Science	Boston Evening Record
Stoneham Independent	Stoneham Daily Enterprise

REPORT OF CIRCULATION IN 1909

	MAGAZINES	PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGION	SOCIOLOGY	SCIENCE	USEFUL AND FINE ARTS	LITERATURE	HISTORY	TRAVEL	BIOGRAPHY	FICTION	TOTAL
January	83	17	17	40	47	49	77	63	55	2225	2673
February	63	16	21	48	42	55	56	62	60	2264	2687
March	73	23	30	45	59	33	57	61	58	2406	2845
April	64	21	16	31	47	35	53	52	39	1971	2329
May	57	31	11	33	33	44	29	56	47	1974	2315
June	52	20	7	35	30	37	25	26	24	1646	1902
July	44	25	11	40	39	30	23	31	36	1715	1994
August	49	28	11	24	43	27	33	31	26	1689	1961
September	73	27	15	33	41	36	59	52	63	1812	2211
October	61	29	18	41	59	49	87	63	54	2145	2606
November	76	26	25	47	58	54	100	93	82	2252	2813
December	65	19	30	44	66	45	64	83	67	2092	2575
Total	760	282	212	461	564	494	663	673	611	24191	28911

LIBRARY STATISTICS

Number of Books in Library Jan. 1, 1910	12,293
" " Bound Magazines added in 1909	37
" " Books added during 1909	358
" " " loaned " "	28,911
" " Persons taking books	1,278
" " Books rebound	217
" " " replaced	29

Number of Books worn out . . .	50
" " " destroyed acct. contagious dis.	10
Money taken for fines, cards and catalogues .	$93.10
Incidental expenses	58.05

DONATIONS

History of the Mozart Regiment, Fortieth N. Y. Infantry.
History Tenth Mass. Battery of Light Artillery 1862-1865.
History Tenth Regiment Mass. Vol. Infantry 1861-1864
Official Records of the Union and Confederate Navies in the War of the Rebellion. v 22.
Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War, v. 17.
Journal of the forty-third encampment G. A. R., 1909.
Acts and Resolves of Mass., 1909.
Census of Mass. 1905, v. 1-3.
Twenty-second Report Board of Education 1907-1908.
Report of Commission of Education 1907 v. 2; 1908, v. 1, 2.
Report of Commission of Navigation 1909.
Report Statistics of Labor 1908.
Report Metropolitan 1909. Census Office 1907-08-09.
Report Animal Rescue League 1908.
Proceedings of the U. S. National Museum, v. 34, 35, 36.
A Century of Population Growth 1790-1900.
Library of Congress. A list of Books on Philippine Islands.
Bureau of the Census. Bulletin 99-104.
Journal of the House 1909. Journal of the Senate 1909.
Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board 1908.
Manual of General Court 1909.
Library Catalogues from Arlington, Boston, Canton, Lexington, Marblehead, Melrose, Syracuse and Wakefield.
Vital Records of Ashburnham, Brookfield, Danvers, v. 1, Sharon, Scituate, v. 1-2, Spencer.
Stephen M. Griswold, 1v.
Herbert N. Casson, 1v.
James H. Moore, 1v.
George L. Raymond, 9v.

Edith Carrington, 7 leaflets.
M. C. Jordan, 27 leaflets.
Contributions from U. S. National Herbarium, 4 pamphlets.
Towle Manufacturing Co., 1 pamphlet.
Labor Bulletins, 6 pamphlets.
Mayflower's Descendants, 1 pamphlet.
Smithsonian Institute, U. S. National Museum, 6 pamph.
Independent, G. R. Barnstead.

Respectfully submitted,
BENJAMIN J. HINDS,
GEORGE A. HINCHCLIFFE,
CHARLES H. CHASE,
CORA E. DIKE,
SARAH A. LYNDE,
CHARLES E. STEVENS,
Trustees of the Public Library.

Report of the Tree Warden

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1909.

The sum of $200.00 was appropriated at the last March meeting for the care of public shade trees. This money was expended in trimming and removing dead wood from trees on the public streets, cutting dead trees and treating those in process of decay. Twenty-seven trees were secured with bolts, where, in the judgment of the Tree Warden, there was danger of splitting apart and falling into the street, thus endangering life and limb of passersby, besides ruining the symmetry of the trees. There is much still to be done in this line as soon as the money is available to defray the expense. The Tree Warden believes that, considering the amount of work to be done, it would be the best policy to care for the trees we have, and to reduce the cost of this care as far as possible, before adding further to the number of trees and the expense of care.

The fact that hundreds of our shade trees have been injured by live wires passing through them, beside the danger to the men working in the trees, furnish the strongest basis for insisting that all wires be placed in underground conduits, wherever this is possible.

The Tree Warden recommends that the sum of $400.00 be appropriated for the care of shade trees for the ensuing year.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE M. JEFTS,

Tree Warden.

Report of the

Lindenwood Cemetery Trustees

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Gentlemen:—The receipts of the Cemetery for the year are divided and classified as follows, viz:

Sale of seven lots	$373.00
Sale of seven single graves	70.00
Care of lots	896.50
Laying foundations	233.75
Repairing lots	213.55
Opening graves	317.00
Sales of wood, grass, stones	67.00
Trimming lots	9.25
Decoration and repairs to Soldiers' graves	30.00
Work on perpetual care lots	806.00
Work and material from fence repairs	30.50
Total receipts	$3,046.55
Balance 1908 reappropriated	280.68
Total credits	$3,327.23
Bills paid as per Auditors' report	2,567.71
Balance to credit of Cemetery	$759.52

FENCE AT LINDENWOOD CEMETERY

Appropriation	615.00
Received from sale of old fence	23.79
Total	$638.79
Paid for fence as per details in Auditors' report	638.12
Balance	.67

As no provision had been made for painting, the Trustees felt justified in using the money received from the old fence for this purpose. The fence can be seen and needs no comment, except, we believe, it will prove satisfactory and desirable as well as ornamental.

PERPETUAL CARE OF LOTS

There have been eighteen deposits made, the income to be used for perpetual care of lots amounting to $1,700.00. The total of this fund is now $14,802.20 and cares for 135 lots at an expense the past year of $739.50.

OLD CEMETERY

Appropriation	$35.00
Expended as per Auditors' report . .	26.83
Balance	$8.17

We shall ask for the appropriation of the unexpended balance of the Lindenwood Cemetery appropriation, as usual.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED E. NICKERSON,
CHARLES C. DIKE,
CHARLES W. MESSER,
DAVID A. ABBOTT,
WINFRED DIKE,
Trustees of Lindenwood Cemetery.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OF THE

TOWN OF STONEHAM

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1909

School Committee 1909-10

	Term Expires
WINTHROP C. WHITCHER, Chairman .	1911
WILFRED A. SMITH, Secretary . .	1912
ALBERT S. HOVEY	1910

CHARLES E. STEVENS, Superintendent
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Office—High School
Office Hours:
8 to 8.45 Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays
4 to 5 Mondays and Fridays
School Days Only

School Calendar

1910

Friday, February 18	Winter Term closes
Monday, February 28	Spring Term opens
Friday, April 15	Spring Term closes
Monday, April 25	Summer Term opens
Friday, June 24	Summer Term closes
Tuesday, June 28	High School Graduation
Tuesday, September 6	Fall Term opens

No School Thanksgiving Week after Tuesday

Thursday, December 22	Fall Term closes

1911

Monday, January 2	Winter Term opens
Friday, February 17	Winter Term closes
Monday, February 27	Spring Term opens
Friday, April 14	Spring Term closes
Monday, April 24	Summer Term opens
Friday, June 23	Summer Term closes
Tuesday, June 27	High School Graduation

Report of the

School Committee

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The School Committee herewith submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1909.

The work in all grades during the past year has been conducted along the same general lines as in previous years with excellent results, but in order to offer the pupils of the High school such opportunities as are given those of nearby towns, your Committee thinks that at the beginning of the coming year, a commercial course consisting of Bookkeeping, Typewriting and Stenography, should be installed.

Bookkeeping is now taught in the school and with the addition of Typewriting and Stenography, a pupil so disposed can finish his school course in our own schools and assume at once the duties of a business position without further preparation.

To install this course would require an appropriation of about $1000 for the balance of the first year and about $800 for each succeeding year.

On April, 1909, a fire originated from some unknown cause in the chemical laboratory in the High school building, damaged the building to the amount of more than $200, the building at that time being uninsured.

In September, and under a new town by-law the building was covered by insurance.

At the opening of schools in September an unoccupied room in the North building was fitted up and used to

accommodate the large number of children entering the 6th grade, which required the services of an additional teacher.

In order to reduce to a minimum the possibility of spreading disease by the use of drinking cups, bubbling drinking fountains are being installed in the school buildings. When complete these will do away altogether w th the drinking cup which is considered by Boards of Health and other good authorities to be a sure means of transmitting disease from one person to another.

In September, at a joint meeting of the School Committee of the towns of Stoneham and Billerica, Supt. C. E. Stevens was chosen to act as Superintendent of Schools for both towns, giving three days to Stoneham and two days to Billerica each week, the total salary being fixed at $2200 per year, Stoneham paying $1350 and Billerica $850.

For some time past the lack of ventilation from the urinals in the High school building has made the conditions unsanitary.

To remedy this, the two toilet rooms were changed, bringing the boys' urinal nearer the main ventilating flue, and this change has brought about the desired result. In connection with this work, additional closets were installed in both toilet rooms.

For further and detailed reports we refer you to the reports of Superintendent C. E. Stevens and the special Teachers.

For the ensuing year the Committee recommended an appropriation of $32,500 to be expended approximately as follows:

Teachers' Salaries . . .	$21,150.00
Janitors' Salaries	2,525.00
Superintendent	1,350.00
Book and Supplies	1,900.00
Fuel	2,400.00

Repairs and Incidentals	2,275.00
Tuition	900.00
	$32,500.00

We also recommend that $50 and the unexpended balance of $9.00 be appropriated for the employing of a School Physician.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation	$32,500.00
Tuition, City Boston	17.00
Tuition, State	207.50
Tuition of Pupils	25.00
Sale of Old Desks and Chairs	5.00
Incidentals	19.78
	$32,774.28

Detail of Expenditure

Teachers' Salaries	$20,806.00	
Superintendent	1,350.00	
Janitors' Salaries	2,512.32	
Books and Supplies	1,946.65	
Repairs	1,330.34	
Incidentals	1,070.50	
Truant Officers	20.00	
Transportation	144.95	
Tuitions	901.41	
Secretary and Care of Books	114.51	
Fuel	2,482.88	
Unexpended Balance	4.72	
		$32,774.28

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Appropriation	$61.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Dr. F. E. Park . . .	$52.00	
Unexpended	9.00	
		$61.00

Respectfully submitted
W. C. WHITCHER,
A. S. HOVEY,
W. A. SMITH,
School Committee.

Superintendent of Schools Report

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

The Superintendent of the Public Schools presents herewith his sixteenth annual report.

The customary annual reports of the special teachers and High School Principal are here inserted and careful attention to them is requested. These departments continue in charge of the same teachers as last year with one exception. Early in the fall term, Miss Powers, teacher of sewing, resigned, and Miss E. F. Bancroft was elected to fill the vacancy thus created.

MUSIC

MR. C. E. STEVENS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—In accordance with your request, I submit the following:

All the grades, from the second to the eighth inclusive, are now supplied with Normal Music Readers, and a great improvement has already been shown in the lower grades. In the upper grades the same course has been followed, and supplementary song books are being used with much profit and pleasure.

The Supervisor believes it would be beneficial to all the classes if more parents visited during the music lessons.

The High school is in great need of new material to work with, and the Supervisor would recommend the Laurel Song Book, which is giving great satisfaction in many high schools.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD N. GRIFFIN.

DRAWING

MR. C. E. STEVENS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—In accordance with your request for a report of the drawing, I submit the following:

The art of representation is of two kinds, freehand, as used by the artist or illustrator, and Mechanical, as used by the machinist, architect or other mechanical draughtsman. Our course in drawing has included both freehand and mechanical representation. Some changes in these courses of study have been made in order to enable the pupil to depict with greater freedom, the appearances, as studied in the freehand department, and the facts, as studied in the mechanical classes. In the freehand sections, it has seemed advisable to devote more time to color study and to practice in sketching out-of-door scenes. As an aid to mechanical representation, the number of copied sheets has been reduced greatly and more original work has been demanded.

At the beginning of the Spring term, owing to the kindness of the Trustees of our public library, it was made possible for us to have a continued exhibit of drawing for nearly an entire term. A few of the best papers in the primary grades were selected, mounted, and placed on exhibition in the library for one week. At the end of this time they were taken down and replaced by selections from the next higher grade, which remained one week, and in turn gave place to those of a yet higher class, and so on through the Grammar and High school. On account of limited space, it was not possible to show many drawings at a time, and generally a pupil's name appeared but once.

In the ninth grade and High schools, where the divisions were smaller, an exception to this rule was made, since the course of study could not be shown, even slightly, without some repitition of names. Even here, however, we endeavored to represent a number of fairly good workers twice, rather than to give undue prominence to a few possessing unusual artistic ability. Considerable interest was taken by the pupils and general public in this exhibit, and we believe it to have been an incentive to better work.

I wish to thank most cordially the members of our School Committee, our teachers, and yourself, all of whom have been ever ready to give the assistance needed for the success of the work.

Respectfully,

EVELYN F. CROSS,
Supervisor of Drawing.

SEWING

MR. C. E. STEVENS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

DEAR SIR:—I took the work of the sewing classes October fifth, carrying it on along the lines started by Miss Powers.

I found that the pupils had been well drilled, having a good foundation knowledge of the different stitches used in sewing.

In the sixth grade the pupils have their practice work and from that they go on to make a sewing apron.

In the seventh grade a pillow case is made and a fancy apron.

In the eighth grade the pupils are making under-garments. Many of them have already completed their first garment.

From the Superintendent and the Teachers in the school, I have had much kindness and co-operation in my work, and for this I wish to thank them.

Respectfully submitted,

EUNICE F. BANCROFT.

SLOYD

MR C. E. STEVENS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—The following report on sloyd is respectfully submitted.

There has been very little change in the regular course from last year. In my report last year I called attention, in quite a definite way, to the unique position Stoneham has taken in charging the pupils for the models made and taken away from the school, and the bad results arising from this method.

The Committee has, after due consideration, however, decided to continue the regulation, and probably with good reason. Good lumber is very high, and the expense in this direction is increasing each year.

In giving the models, the town is making a gift to the sloyd pupils of nearly one hundred dollars each year. This is not done in any other subject, and apparently there is no good reason to do it in this.

If, however, we are to obtain the best results, and are to put the subject on an educational instead of a commercial basis, there should be a very clear and definite understanding between the Teacher, the pupil and parents. To this end I have explained the matter to each class and have opened an account with each pupil. The amount to be paid by each pupil is not large and is as follows: Seventh grade, thirty-nine cents; eighth grade, fifty cents; and ninth grade, about one dollar. It will be seen that this means an outlay of about one cent per week for the seventh grade, one and one-fourth cents for the eighth, and two and one-half for the ninth. As they receive useful articles at cost of material plus the instruction and experience given, it can hardly be called a hardship if they are required to do so.

Pupils should be required to take their models and parents should understand that they pay only for the

actual cost of material used. If this plan is successful there are other towns that will adopt it at once.

W. F. BRACKETT.

HIGH SCHOOL

MR. C. E. STEVENS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to submit herewith my fifteenth annual report.

The enrollment of the High school by grades is as follows:

Grade XIII	21
" XII	41
" XI	35
" X	48
" IX	70
Total enrollment	215

Our two greatest needs are the same as for many years past, namely, a stronger business course and a playground. In these respects we are woefully behind surrounding towns. I doubt if there is another High school of equal enrollment, in Eastern Massachusetts, but what has one or both of these desirable features.

Our courses of study, aside from the business course, seem to meet local conditions and college requirements fairly well. At present we have one or more graduates attending each of the following institutions: Boston College, Bridgewater Normal School, Brown University, College of Normal Arts, Harvard University, Holy Cross College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Naval Academy at Annapolis, Normal College of New York City, Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, Salem Normal School, Simmons College, Tufts College, Wesleyan University and Norwich Military Academy. Also as would be expected, a large number are attending commercial schools and colleges.

The military company is in excellent shape. Its officers are: Captain, Harry A. Junkins; 1st lieut., Harold T. Hoffer; 2d lieut., Peter F. O'Toole; 1st sergt., William A. Garside; qm. sergt., G. Raymond Connor; 2d sergt., Chauncey M. Butler; 3d sergt., Nils M. Hydren; 4th sergt., Ralph L. Nason; 5th sergt, Robert P. Moody; corporals, Batcheller, Blinn, Healey, Hurld, Sweet, Hamill, McDonald, Mann, Jenkins; musicians, Cogan, Cornell.

At the annual prize drill William A. Garside, Arthur E. Hamm, Rayford A. Mann, won first, second and third prizes respectively, and James McDonald received honorable mention.

Rifle practice continues to be a valuable and attractive recreation for the larger part of the company.

Our thanks are due Mr. Charles E. Dotey for his valuable gift of geological specimens; also to the graduating class of 1909 for portraits of Longfellow and Holmes hung in the library.

From every standpoint, the past year has been one of harmonious co-operation and mutual helpfulness. Few towns, I surmise, offer pleasanter conditions for teaching than does Stoneham.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. EMERSON,

Principal.

GRADE	CLASSICAL		SCIENTIFIC		ENGLISH		BUSINESS	
IX	Grammar	3	Grammar	3	Grammar	3	Grammar	3
	Language	1	Language	1	Language	1	Language	1
	Eng. History & Civil Gov. & Physiology	3	Eng. Hist. & Civil Gov. & Physiology	3	Eng. Hist. & Civil Gov. & Physiology	3	Eng. Hist. & Civil Gov. & Physiology	3
	Arith. & Algebra	4	Arith. & Algebra	4	Arith. & Algebra	4	Arith. & Algebra	4
	Phys. & Com. Geog.	3	Phys. & Com. Geog.	3	Phys. & Com. Geog.	3	Phys. & Com. Geog.	3
	Reading	2	Reading	2	Reading	2	Reading	2
	Spelling	1	Spelling	1	Spelling	1	Spelling	1
	Manual Training	1	Manual Training	1	Manual Training	1	Manual Training	1
	Nature Study	1	Nature Study	1	Nature Study	1	Nature Study	1
	Drawing	1	Drawing	1	Drawing	1	Drawing	1
	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1
X	English	3	English	3	English	3	English	3
	Greek & Rom. His.	3	Greek & Rom. His.	3	Greek & Rom. His.	3	Greek & Rom. Hist.	3
	Algebra	4	Algebra	4	Algebra	4	Algebra	4
	Latin	5	Bookkeeping	5	Bookkeeping	5	Bookkeeping	5
	Drawing	1	Drawing	1	Drawing	1	Drawing	1
	Inv. & Con. Geo.	1	Inv. & Con. Geo.	1	Inv. & Con. Geo.	1	Inv. & Con. Geo.	1
	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1
	Drill	1	Drill	1	Drill	1	Drill	1
XI	Geometry	4	Geometry	4	Geometry	4	B. K. & Com. Law	5
	French	4	French	4	French	4	2nd English	5
	Physics or Greek	3	Physics	5	Physics	5	Physics	5
	Latin	5	English History	4	English History	4	English History	4
	Rhetoric & Comp.	1	Rhetoric & Comp.	1	Rhetoric & Comp.	1	Rhetoric & Comp.	1
	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1	Music	1
	Drill	1	Drill	1	Drill	1	Drill	1

XII	English	3	English	3	English	3	1st English	3
	French	3	French	3	French	3	Chemistry	5
	Geol. & Astron. or Ger. or Gr.	5	Geol. & Astron. or German	5	Geol. & Astron. or German	4 5	Geo. & Astron. or German	4 5
	Am. His. & Civ. Gov.	4	Am. His. & Civ. Gov.	4	Am. His. & Civ. Gov.	4	Am. His. & Civ. Gov.	4
	Latin	5	Botany & Physiol.	4	Botany & Physiol.	4	Botany & Physiol.	4
	Music	1	or Solid Geo.	3	or Solid Geo.	3	Music	1
	*Drill	1	& Physics	2	& Physics	2	*Drill	1
			Music	1	Music	1		
			*Drill	1	*Drill	1		
XIII	Chem. or Greek	5	Chemistry	5				
	Latin	5	German	5				
	French	3	French	3				
	English	3	English	3				
	Rev. Math.	3	Rev. Math.	3				
	*Music	1	*Music	1				
	*Drill	1	*Drill	1				

*Music in Grade XIII, and Drill in Grades XII and XIII are optional.
The figures denote periods per week.

ATTENDANCE

The average attendance for the year ending July 1, 1909, shows only a slight increase over the preceding year. The average attendance for the fall term of 1909 was 1110, an increase of 9 for the year. Reference to tables appended to this report indicate the details of attendance for a number of years past.

At the opening of school in the fall it was found that several rooms had more scholars than could be seated, and another room was fitted up and opened at the North school.

At the present time every room in our several school buildings is occupied and there are no accommodations for additional schools.

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

It is generally conceded that thrift and economy, as well as wisdom in expenditure, are important habits for children to acquire. It is well known that many children reach maturity without having established these habits or gained the information essential for the exercise of ordinary business prudence. Children should learn the value of money by earning it. They should acquire the habit of daily taking care of the pennies in order that when the need comes they may wisely spend them.

In January 1900, through the efforts of the Stoneham Woman's Club, the School Savings Bank was introduced. The plan of operation is very simple. Each child has a bank book in which every transaction, deposit or withdrawal, is recorded, and the Teacher has a ledger which contains the duplicates of all the bank books of her children. Once each week all the deposits are collected from each building by members of the Woman's Club and brought to the office of the Superintendent of Schools, who acts as general cashier. When any child has accumulated fifty cents or more he may have it transferred to the Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank. In some towns they

have a system of stamp savings, but that plan, although considered here, was not received with favor, the most serious objection being that if children lost their stamp book they lost their money. So far the School Bank has been a very popular institution. Fully two-thirds of the children of the primary and grammar schools are depositors, and about six hundred dollars is now in the School Bank. In addition to this, a large number of children have opened an account with the Savings bank and are taking care of their own money without the aid of the school. Undoubtedly the establishment of the School Bank is a step in the right direction, but it is only a step. The public schools may do much to lead the people back to simpler modes of living and saner methods of work.

TEACHERS

The last year has been one of unusual efficiency. The corps of teachers is a strong one. Only one regular teacher has resigned during the year. Miss Ethel M. Paige left for a larger salary, and Miss Nora E. Weymouth, a teacher of several years' experience, was elected to fill the position. An additional teacher was necessary at the North school, and Mrs. Florence Graham has been serving very acceptably as substitute, pending the election of a permanent teacher.

Having had so few interruptions during the year, it has been easier to maintain a high standard of efficiency and to more fully realize the ideals towards which we have been constantly striving.

The spirit of co-operation was never more in evidence. The teachers are working loyally and harmoniously. The parents have confidence in the teachers and the school officials, co-operating with them in every effort for the child's welfare. There has been hardly an exception to this statement during the past year. This is a matter for congratulation, for school room success is very easily jeop-

ardized by unwise criticism of the school in the home. Parents and teachers are working with the same end in view, and the best results are obtained only when they cooperate.

The Stoneham spirit and the methods of management which have characterized the public schools of this town for a number of years have been so successful that a brief enumeration may not be out of place.

1. As was shown in the report of one year ago, unusual attention is given to the physical welfare of the children, individually as well as collectively. We believe this to be the first essential and that it is much easier and better to preserve and improve the health than to cure the sick.

2. Children five years of age are admitted at the beginning of the fall term only. Pupils are not admitted during the year unless they are prepared to enter an existing class. This method results in a year of uninterrupted work for grade one, and much more rapid advancement than would be possible if beginners were admitted at any time. A large percentage of the pupils of grade one are ready for promotion at the end of the first year.

3. Believing that every child who does his best in conduct and effort, no matter what the attainment in scholarship may be, should receive proper credit for what he accomplishes, the report cards are arranged with this end in view. Every praiseworthy effort should be duly recognized.

4. The proper management and control of children while in the care of the school, is a most important matter, but the machinery of government should be well oiled and carefully concealed. We believe in indirect me hods and in the use of common sense. We believe in making few rules and in treating every case on its merits. We never punish the whole school for the undiscovered sins of a few members of it. The wisest teachers foresee trouble and

prevent it. All of the most troublesome problems in school management are referred to the Superintendent for consideration and advice. Pupils giving serious offense are sent to him, and under his method of treatment they are always helped and usually cured.

5. We believe that one of the most important habits of life is that of systematic industry. Work is nature's method of securing happiness and success in life. The public school may furnish excellent buildings and arrange important courses of study, but they avail little to the pupils unless from them they learn how to work. Teachers should afford pupils every opportunity to help themselves, but should not do for them what they could better do without help. Tasks should be assigned and pupils should accomplish the tasks, learning to overcome the petty difficulties without help. The home could be of great service here if it would provide profitable employment during a part of the leisure hours of the children.

6. The old time antagonism between pupil and teacher has disappeared, and in its place a new spirit prevails. Teachers love the pupils and the pupils have no other desire than to please the teacher. The spirit of cooperation and good-will is in evidence. Without this sympathetic relation, the highest degree of success is impossible, and with it the best results come easily and naturally. School at best is somewhat artificial, but the nearer we can approach to natural conditions, where effect follows cause as in ordinary life, the better it is. Stoneham schools have an enviable reputation on account of this spirit. Visitors always notice it.

7. Below the eighth grade, each school is divided into two or more classes, for purposes of study and recitation, and much of the work is done in these separate groups. But the needs of the individual pupil are not overlooked. More can be accomplished in a given time by taking twenty pupils for half the time, than fifty pupils

for all the time. In grades one and two, we plan to have the groups smaller, not more than fifteen in each division.

8. The proper classification and promotion of pupils is a most difficult problem. In Stoneham pupils are moved backward or forward at any time of year when it becomes evident that they are out of place. At the close of the year, in June, the record of all pupils is reviewed by the teacher and the Superintendent, and the name of the pupils are arranged in three groups, as follows: "promoted, not promoted, and doubtful."

Pupils who have not secured promotion have the privilege of studying through the summer and taking an examination in the fall, and if successful, they secure promotion.

The class marked doubtful are dealt with according to their special needs, some being permitted promotion on trial, and others are given examinations in certain studies in which they are deficient. Every child is given a chance to earn promotion. If he does not get it, he alone is to blame.

As a result of this method, a comparatively small number are obliged to repeat the work. Above the first grades the number of repeaters is from five to eight per cent. Of this number about two-thirds are boys.

9. By a change in organization of last year, there are now eight grades below the high school, and pupils receive their grammar school diplomas at the end of the eighth year. In the high school there are five grades. Pupils leaving school at any time before graduation may receive on request a certificate of the work done.

10. Within certain broad lines each teacher is given large freedom in planning and developing her own methods of teaching. While required to do a certain definite amount of work, she is given the opportunity of doing it very much as she chooses. In this way we secure happy

conditions of work for the teacher, pleasing diversity for the pupil, and as much of uniformity as is desirable.

Thus is briefly stated the principles and ideals which have obtained in the Stoneham schools for a number of years, but the time has come when we should push on to larger and better things. Something more is needed to put the schools of this town in the lead. At the present time the grammar school fits for the high school and the high school fits for college. This meets the need of perhaps ten per cent of the pupils. But the ninety per cent are not receiving the education that is best adapted to meet their requirements and fit them for their future occupations. With this in mind I would like to present the following suggestions for your consideration:

1. Beginning as early as the seventh grade, we should have parallel courses of study along three different lines, viz: Academic leading towards the college; mechanical, leading to vocational pursuits of this class; and commercial, fitting especially for mercantile life.

2. Opportunity should be given every boy and girl to devote not less than twenty per cent of his time in school, beginning with the seventh grade, to special studies of the vocational or laboratory type, and the school day might be lengthened a little if this change in the program was carried out.

3. Such new courses of study as I have in mind would include training for the girls in household affairs as well as the elements of domestic science and two or three other leading occupations of women.

4. A beginning should be made at once by developing a strong commercial course in the high school, including stenography and typewriting.

5. I would suggest the advisability of changing the age of admission from five to six years of age as is now the rule in many places. If children were one year older when they entered school, the work of the first eight years

could easily be done in seven years. This change would make it possible to establish one or two kindergartens for the youngest children without increasing the present cost of the school department.

In closing this report, I must acknowledge my indebtedness to the children for their unfailing courtesy, to the teachers for their cooperation and absolute loyalty, to the citizens for the high degree of public confidence rarely shown a school official, and to the School Committee, whose rare sense of honor and deep devotion to the welfare of the schools has been so helpful to me and so beneficial to the town.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. STEVENS,

Superintendent.

Report of Truant Officers

For the Year 1909	Mr. Green	Mr. Harding	Total
Number of cases investigated . .	14	58	72
Number of cases of truancy . . .	5	8	13
Number absent for good cause . .	3	37	40
Number illegally absent . . .	6	13	19
Number sent to truant school . .	0	0	0

Record of Sight and Hearing Tests

FALL TERM 1909	HIGH	DEAN	CENTER	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	TOTAL
Number of pupils examined	229	331	195	121	150	148	1174
" defective in eyesight	45	69	36	40	29	29	248
" " " one eye only	16	21	18	12	18	11	96
" having less than $\frac{2}{3}$ nor. vis.	24	36	16	11	15	4	106
" wearing glasses	30	23	8	5	7	4	77
" defective in hearing	22	21	19	1	2	8	73
" " " one ear only	14	11	15	0	1	3	44
" less than $\frac{1}{2}$ nor. hearing	6	3	2	1	2	2	16
" notices sent to parents	37	38	31	11	19	7	143
" " for defect. eyesight	28	23	20	10	17	5	103
" " " " hearing	9	5	11	1	2	2	30

Summary of Statistics for the Year Ending June 22, 1909

Whole number enrolled in all schools	1249
Number of males	645
Number of females	604
Number less than five	6
Number over fifteen	161
Number between seven and fourteen	791
Number five years of age	82
Number six years of age	115
Number seven years of age	120
Number eight years of age	119
Number nine years of age	117
Number ten years of age	113
Number eleven years of age	103
Number twelve years of age	114
Number thirteen years of age	105
Number fourteen years of age	94
Average membership for the year	1135.95
Average attendance for the year	1071.87
Percentage of attendance	94.36
Number of tardinesses	1306
Number of dismissals	523
Number of regular teachers employed	31
Number of different schools	27
Number of visits, not including those of Committee and Superintendent	2234

For the Fall Term, 1909

Number of children in town September 1909 from five (5) to fifteen (15) years of age.	1107
Number of males	586
Number of females	521
Number between seven and fourteen	890
Average membership	1168.2
Average attendance	1110.5
Percentage of attendance	95

Table of Statistics for the Year Ending June 22, 1909

Teachers	Enrolment	Boys	Girls	Over 15	Und'r 5	Bet. 7–14	Av. Mem.	Av. Att.	Pr.Ct. Att.	Tardy	Dismissals	Visitors
Charles J. Emerson	144	63	81	118	0	4	133.96	128.86	96.19	73	59	125
Eva M. Garland	37	20	17	8	0	9	35.01	33.20	94.86	39	31	62
Lenora Bessey	40	21	19	16	0	8	37.93	36.46	96.09	43	20	63
Eva F. Hard	42	21	21	8	0	27	40.24	38.8	96.04	25	39	59
Ethel M. Paige	43	20	23	2	0	33	38.72	37.19	96.16	20	13	128
Lena M. Dickinson	38	22	16	0	0	35	38.82	31.37	92.79	48	20	45
Alice V. Peyton	43	21	22	3	0	32	41.4	38.5	92.8	61	23	55
Ermina Dike	42	22	20	2	0	37	40.62	38.53	94.61	58	50	52
Katherine A. Devlin	49	24	25	0	0	47	46.8	44.8	95.7	17	22	49
Fannie A. Davis	52	22	30	1	0	47	47.35	44.6	94.18	74	20	46
Elizabeth W. Crowell	42	24	18	0	0	42	34.65	32.88	94.9	58	20	38
Alice H. Smith	38	22	16	0	0	37	36.75	35.	96.	46	10	108
Lilley B. Sweetser	42	20	22	0	0	42	37.28	35.16	94.	49	21	54
Ethel W. Fogg	35	20	15	1	0	34	37.54	35.7	95.	135	7	97
Alice M. Walsh	44	28	16	0	0	21	37.2	35.1	94.4	60	3	106
Kathleen E. Desmond	38	15	23	0	2	3	30.26	28.3	93.52	39	5	80
Cora E. Green	48	24	24	0	0	48	46.05	44.9	96.	53	25	71
Mary E. Brown	45	25	20	1	0	33	38.98	36.81	94.4	51	22	121
Lucy A. Walsh	35	20	15	0	1	6	31.75	28.86	90.8	66	11	104
Winnifred P. Upton	47	19	28	0	0	47	43.63	41.15	94.36	52	22	85
Elizabeth Gilson	53	26	27	0	0	53	41.66	40.01	96.	59	8	59
Nellie Healey	47	30	17	1	0	36	39.63	37.50	94.62	117	18	82
Lilla F. Tarbett	43	27	16	0	2	5	37.19	34.42	92.	61	11	89
Harriet I. P. Upton	42	23	19	0	0	42	36.8	35.25	95.78	57	11	122
Laura M. Sanford	40	22	18	0	0	39	35.47	33.73	95.09	31	7	77
Helen L. Briggs	44	22	22	0	0	20	36.92	34.62	93.77	65	9	118
Bessie F. Dodge	36	22	14	0	1	4	33.34	30.17	90.49	49	16	149

Annual Enrolment by Grades

GRADES	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
1	183	175	169	154	149	135	146	146	147	150	131
2	104	127	122	139	144	120	142	129	132	116	128
3	113	102	109	113	122	160	148	132	127	132	130
4	99	108	95	119	122	117	141	123	124	132	116
5	94	86	109	100	124	119	85	137	132	127	128
6	79	91	86	99	103	106	110	97	119	114	129
7	77	77	80	90	84	102	92	109	103	124	118
8	81	69	59	64	75	76	80	68	76	80	86
9	65	74	68	60	57	76	77	80	72	79	75
High School 10	42	43	54	46	46	44	52	51	68	44	57
High School 11	40	34	39	46	35	42	36	37	36	46	38
High School 12	18	26	30	36	38	29	28	33	31	29	41
High School 13	15	13	18	23	19	27	19	18	24	21	23
Ungraded	17	15	14	12							
Totals	1027	1040	1052	1099	1118	1153	1156	1160	1191	1194	1200

Enrolment by Grade and Age, September 1909

GRADES	AGE																TOTAL
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
1	5	79	36	8	2	1											131
2		8	56	42	17	1	1	1	1	1							128
3			5	53	42	23	7										130
4				3	50	31	16	9	4	2	1						116
5					6	48	43	15	12	4							128
6					2	3	37	47	20	13	7						129
7							4	30	36	33	10	3	2				118
8								6	26	31	18	3	2				86
9									4	22	28	18	3				75
10										5	10	25	16	1			57
11											4	12	16	5	1		38
12												7	16	11	6	1	41
13													2	8	9	4	23
	5	87	97	106	119	107	108	108	103	111	78	68	57	25	16	5	1200

Annual Statistics

YEAR	TOTAL ENROLMENT	AVERAGE WHOLE NUMBER	AVERAGE ATTEND.	PER CENT OF ATTEND.
1888	1037	847	800	94.
1889	1029	830	776	93.
1890	1037	860	807	94.
1891	1058	891	841	94.
1892	1059	883	835	94;
1893	1059	879	827	94.
1894	1116	946	896	94.7
1895	1175	934	888	95.
1896	1142	963	916	95.
1897	1221	983	938	95.4
1898	1152	952	896	94.3
1899	1099	963	899	93.
1900	1118	994	939	94.4
1901	1095	977	908	93.
1902	1094	1014	950	93.6
1903	1129	1050	970	92.4
1904	1133	1060	992	93.5
1905	1208	1091	1024	93.8
1906	1233	1093	1036	94.7
1907	1232	1101	1032	93.8
1908	1269	1133	1063	93.8
1909	1249	1136	1072	94.3

List of Present Teachers

NAME	SCHOOL	GRADE	DATE OF ELEC.	PRESENT MEM.
Charles J. Emerson	High	IX-XIII	July 1895	221
Alice L. Robinson	"	"	March 1900	
Florence L. Sherman	"	"	August 1904	
Ethel L. Fuller	"	"	August 1908	
Effie L. Kellogg	"	"	August 1906	
Lenora Bessey	"	"	March 1905	
Eva M. Garland	"	"	July 1905	
Eva F. Hard	Dean	VIII	July 1872	42
Nora E. Weymouth	"	"	July 1909	43
Alice V. Peyton	"	VII	March 1885	38
Ermina Dike	"	"	August 1881	40
Lena M. Dickinson	"	"	September 1908	33
Fannie A. Davis	"	VI	July 1903	46
Kathrine A. Devlin	"	"	July 1899	45
Elizabeth W. Crowell	"	V	July 1908	35
Alice H. Smith	Center	V	July 1897	38
Lilley B. Sweetser	"	IV	March 1900	41
Ethel W. Fogg	"	III	July 1907	44
Alice M. Walsh	"	II	July 1899	33
Kathleen E. Desmond	"	I	July 1903	35
Cora E. Green	North	V-VI	July 1876	40
Florence H. Graham	"	III-IV	Substitute	35
Mary E. Brown	"	II	April 1905	28
Lucy A. Walsh	"	I	July 1908	25
Winifred P. Upton	East	V-VI	August 1906	41
M. Elizabeth Gilson	"	III-IV	July 1903	39
Nellie Healey	"	II	July 1008	31
Lilla F. Tarbett	"	I	March 1898	30
Harriett I. P. Upton	South	IV	July 1895	36
Laura M. Sanford	"	III	December 1904	43
Helen L. Briggs	"	II	April 1907	36
Bessie F. Dodge	"	I	June 1906	31
Edward N. Griffin	Music		December 1906	
Evelyn F. Cross	Drawing		July 1895	
George R. Barnstead	Mil. Ins.		September 1899	
Eunice F. Bancroft	Sewing		October 1909	
Walter F. Brackett	Sloyd		April 1905	

Graduation Exercises of the Class of 1909
Stoneham High School, Tuesday
June 22, 1909

Prayer

Rev. Arthur Stanley Beale

Invitation to the Dance — *Von Weber*

Chorus

Essay. Rifle Shooting

George T. Leach (Second Honor)

Essay. Our Ex-President

Katherine C. MacKeil

Essay. The Prevention of Tuberculosis

Mary Edna Leach

Lullaby — *Belknap*

Chorus

Essay. George T. Angell

Eva M. Hinchcliffe

*Essay. The Comparative Strength of Our Navy

Joseph Goodwin

Class History

Anna Beatrice Cogan

Essay. The Heroine of the Crimean War

Florence A. McHale

The Union Jack — *Adams*

Chorus

Class Prophecy

Thomas Arthur Shea

Essay. Alfred Tennyson

Ethel J. Lewis

Essay. A Few Elements of Success

Doris B. Worthen (First Honor)

The Vision — *Faure*

Chorus

*Excused

Graduates

CLASSICAL COURSE

Ivy Belle Gilbert
Katherine C. MacKeil
Laura May Hinchcliffe
Francis Patrick Hamill
Eva Mary Hinchcliffe
Ruth Elizabeth Hale
Florence Agnes McHale
Mary Edna Leach
Doris Butler Worthen

SCIENTIFIC COURSE

James Edward Cogan
Ethel Jessie Lewis
Joseph Goodwin
George Thomas Leach
Elizabeth May Doherty
Leo Francis Corcoran
Sadie May Currier
Thomas Arthur Shea

ENGLISH COURSE

Anna Beatrice Cogan
Mary Madeline Haley
Marie Marguerite Montague

BUSINESS COURSE

Albert Ralmond Dutton
Jane Edith Horovitz

Report of the

Commissioners of Public Works

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Gentlemen:—The Commissioners of Public Works submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1909.

At the annual Town Meeting, Mr. Ralph R. Patch was elected a member of the board for three years.

After considering a number of applications for the position of Superintendent, Mr. T. A. Mulroony was appointed and has had charge during the year.

HIGHWAYS

Early in the season, it was apparent to the board that some measures should be taken to preserve the surface of Franklin street, and, after a thorough investigation of methods and materials, it was decided to treat it with a dressing of "Tarvia B." This is not only a binder, but is also a dust layer and removes the necessity and cost of watering the street. This has proved to be a benefit to the street and if repeated this year, will add much to the life of the street.

It was found necessary to raise Franklin street between Stevens street and Emerald court, owing to the settling at this point. The grade was raised, the street railing changed and the sidewalks on both sides of the street, at this point, were rebuilt.

Keene street has been graded and the top dressed with gravel, taken from a pit on Park avenue, and a side-

walk built on the westerly side. The street is now in good condition.

Marble street has been re-surfaced and rolled from Main street to the Winchester line. This street should receive a dressing of "Tarvia," after the railroad has completed its repairs.

Gould street has been rebuilt between Pine street and the railroad crossing, with a stone bottom and a gravel top thoroughly rolled. This street has also been repaired at the easterly end.

Pine street has been re-surfaced between Common street and Tidd street and so graded as to remove the necessity of building the catch basin asked for at the last Town Meeting.

Myrtle street has been graded from Green street to Avon street; Flint avenue from Main street to Cottage street; Washington street between Tremont and Pomeworth streets; Pomeworth street between Washington street and the railroad crossing; Montvale avenue from Main street to the Woburn line; Spring street from Pleasant to Summer streets; also near the Melrose line; Maple street from Cedar avenue to the railroad crossing; Pleasant street from Central to Pine streets; Stevens street from Spring to Franklin streets. Other streets that have received repairs are High, Summer, Elm, Warren, Wright, Chestnut, Gilmore, Pond, Winthrop, Hill, Summerhill, Green, Bow, Perkins and Pine streets.

The heavy rains of the past season have caused a number of bad washouts, which added quite an item to the expense account. There are a few streets that should be thoroughly rebuilt and the town should make separate appropriations for them. Among these are Montvale avenue, Chestnut, Elm, Washington and High streets. The last named is so wide that it will require a large amount of material to properly grade it.

GRAVEL WALKS

A new walk has been built on Central street, beyond Elm street. Repairs have been made on Warren, Pine, Elm, Bow, Stevens, Pleasant, Pomeworth and Summer streets.

NEW CONCRETE WALKS

These have been built, as voted by the town, on Gilmore, Main, Maple, Central streets and Montvale avenue.

CONCRETE REPAIRS

Repairs have been made on the following streets: Main, Maple, Wright, Gerry, Elm, Winthrop, Warren, Lincoln, Spring, Gould, Green, Central, Perkins, North avenue, Rockland, Harrison, High, Hancock, Pond, Franklin, Pine, Flint avenue, Lindenwood road, Gilmore and Hersam streets.

BASINS

At the junction of Broadway and Main streets, a large settling basin has been built to prevent the drain pipes from filling with sand from the hill on Broadway. Other basins have been built on Summer street near Pine street; Washington street near Elm street. All basins have been cleaned a number of times during the year.

CULVERTS AND DRAINS

A culvert on Pond street, near the house of Mr. Andrews, was opened, cleaned and rebuilt. The culvert on Cottage street was treated in the same manner. The open stone drain on Cottage street, abutting the land of W. J. Corcoran, has been taken out and replaced with a 20 inch vitrified pipe covered and graded. The ditch on Main street on land of Dr. Blenkhorn has been laid with a 24 inch tile covered, and a cleanout with an iron cover placed in it. The brook has been cleaned out between Gould and Pomeworth streets.

STREET RAILING

New railing has been built on Franklin, William, Summer, Winthrop and Everett streets. Old railing has been repaired on Maple, Pond, High streets and Montvale avenue.

MACHINERY

The watering carts are in good condition. The crusher and road grader are also in fair shape. The roller will have to have the engine overhauled and repaired before it is used again. The building, which covers the engine and boiler at the crusher, is in poor shape and will have to be repaired.

Water Department

The department has had a busy year in caring for the plant, having had sixteen leaks on the mains and thirty-three on the services, these together with the new construction furnished a large amount of work.

After a consultation with the Mayor of Melrose, we have made an emergency connection with that city. We are also contemplating the same arrangement with Woburn.

EXTENSION OF MAINS

An 8 inch cast iron main has been laid on Spencer street, its entire length 490 feet and a hydrant placed thereon at a cost of $1.24 per foot.

The 6 inch main on High street has been extended from Broadway to a point opposite the house of W. B. Parker, a distance of 741 feet, with a hydrant, at a cost of $.98 per foot.

A 6 inch main was laid from the pipe on Main street to the house of Mrs. Doyle on Broadway, at a distance of 490 feet, at a cost of $.93 per foot.

SERVICE PIPES

Thirty-two new services have been laid and thirty-

three old services relaid the past year, a total of 4,677 feet with all fittings, at a cost to the town of $.28 per foot.

METERS

The town is being metered as fast as circumstances will permit; all new services have been metered and two hundred and twenty-five of the old services. We had, January 1, four hundred and thirty meters installed. We now have about forty applications on file.

ELECTROLOSIS

We are still having some trouble from this cause. Have had four cases on Main street during the year.

Sewer Department

The entire system has been cleaned and is in good condition, except an occasional stoppage caused by roots getting into the joints. During the past year, these have occured in the house connections. The whole system has to be constantly watched.

MAIN SEWERS

A sewer has been built on Central street from the Vera Chemical company to a point on William street opposite the North School house, a distance of 320 feet, at a cost of $3.28 per foot.

The Franklin Street sewer was commenced late in the season and is not, as yet, completed.

SERVICES

Forty-five house connections have been laid the past year; a total length of 2,458 feet, at a cost of $.51 per foot.

RALPH R. PATCH,
JAMES A. JONES,
LINWOOD L. GOVE,
Commissioners of Public Works.

Report of the

Overseers of the Poor

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Gentlemen:—The Board of Overseers of the Poor submit the following report:

The almshouse and farm, under the general supervision of John G. Beede and in charge of James H. White as Warden and Ella E. White as Matron, has been well cared for. Everything about the house has a very neat and homelike appearance; the same may be said of the barn and grounds. The Board considers that much credit is due to Mr. and Mrs. White for their efficient management of the farm.

The number of inmates January 1, 1909, was nine, the number of admissions since has been five. The list follows:

Samuel Gerry, 78, continues.
Leander E. Goodwin, 72, continues.
George W. Cowdrey, 65, continues.
John B. Clough, 75, continues.
Mary Cass, 78, continues.
Jesse K. Green, 62, continues.
Henry K. Barnes, 63, died September 25, 1909.
John F. Cunningham, 54, discharged.
W. E. Knight, 50, discharged, readmitted.
Patrick Higgins, 74, discharged.
Dennis Doyle, 62, continues.

The whole number of weeks board furnished is four hundred and sixty-one, at a cost per week of $3.63.

Very little produce has been raised in excess of what is needed in the house and barn.

Especial attention has been paid to the production of milk, the farm at present having twelve high grade cows, one having been added quite recently. The following figures show the quantity of milk produced during the year: 5,607 cans or 54,856 quarts.

The receipts from sale of milk and from other sources were:

Milk	$2,096.80
Cows and calves	262.50
Poultry and eggs	128.80
One hog	40.00
Pork and vegetables	16.96
Second hand mowing machine and sled	35.00
Stone and junk	49.40
Board of Charles Smith	46.50
Total	$2,675.96

For a detailed account of expenditures, we refer you to the Auditor's report.

The Board has found it necessary to fill in the barn cellar and put in a concrete bottom and concrete partition. They have also made an opening on the north side for an entrance and windows for ventilation and a few repairs in the house, the whole cost being $200.00.

Fourteen families, comprising sixty persons, are dependent on the town, the majority being continued cases and the others as misfortune meets them. Eleven of these persons are out of town, four in state institutions. The outside poor, belonging to other cities and towns, numbers forty-six.

The Board recommends that electric lights be installed in the almshouse and barn and that a fire alarm box be placed at the entrance. The Board also suggests that the town sell the lot of land on the south side of Broadway,

running from Keene street to High street, lot D, 2.964 acres, and purchase the lot belonging to William D. Brackett on the east side of the farm.

The Board make grateful acknowledgement to all individuals who have assisted in their work.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER C. BANCROFT,
JOHN G. BEEDE,
SYLVESTER A. LAWRENCE,
Overseers of the Poor.

Report of the

Board of Assessors

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

We respectfully submit the following report of the Valuation of Estates, Real and Personal, assessed in the Town of Stoneham, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the year 1909.

Value of Buildings excluding Land	$2,469,908.00
Value of Land excluding Buildings	2,084,722.00
Total	$4,554,630.00
Total value of Personal Property	497,860.00
Total value of Real and Personal Estate	$5,052,490.00

Tax Rate $20.50 on $1000

Tax on Real Estate	$93,369.92
Tax on Personal Estate	10,206.13
Tax on Polls	4,436.00
Total	$108,012.05

ASSESSED AND APPROPRIATED

Town Grant	$90,496.93
State Tax	6,615.00
County Tax	5,667.72
Sewer Tax	4,766.06
Park Tax	2,629.06
Water Tax	10,234.41
State Highway Tax	79.10

Wellington Bridge Tax	$1,606.38
Overlayings	2,161.58
	$124,256.24
Less Water and Corporation Taxes	16,244.19
	$108,012.05
Number of Horses	340
" " Cows	272
" " Neat Cattle	23
" " Swine	232
" " Sheep	2
" " Fowl	1350
" " Dwellings	1500
" " Other Buildings	702
" " Acres of Land	2511

We think the outlook for a healthy real estate boom in Stoneham is good, as we have received in the past year many letters from out of town parties regarding the purchase of small farms at a fair price; also houses of six or seven rooms and about eight to ten thousand feet of land.

With good Churches, good Schools, a fine Public Library, Metropolitan Water, Metropolitan Sewer and twelve hundred acres of our town land located in the Middlesex Fells, the park of all parks in the Metropolitan District, no doubt when the new electric road from Stoneham to Boston opens for business in the Spring, many visitors riding over that road will be surprised to see such a fine town and such beautiful scenery as the good old town of Stoneham affords.

Financially we are in better condition than any of the surrounding towns.

RATE OF TAX PER $1000

There were thirty-three cities and three hundred and twenty-one towns in Massachusetts on May 1, 1909.

The highest rate, viz: $27.00 was assessed in the town of Merrimac, and the lowest viz: $2.42 in the town of Gosnold.

Rates from $3.70 to $9.50 were assessed in thirteen towns; $10.00 to $14.80 in one city and eighty-nine towns; $15.00 to $19.80 in twenty-four cities and one hundred and forty-nine towns; $20.00 to $25.50 in eight cities and sixty-eight towns.

JOHN BEST,
GEORGE W. NEWHALL,
ALFRED P. RHOADES,
Assessors of Stoneham.

Report of the

Committee to Purchase New Hose

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Gentlemen:—The Committee, appointed at the last annual Town meeting, to purchase new hose have purchased 1,000 feet from the Three C Company.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. STURTEVANT,
LOUIS F. BRUCE,
ALBERT J. SMITH,

Committee.

Report of the

Board of Auditors

School Department

Appropriation	$32,500.00
Received from Sale of Books and Supplies	24.78
" " Tuition . . .	25.00
" " State and City of Boston .	224.50
	$32,774.28
Expended	$32,769.56
Unexpended	$4.72

Detail of Expenditure

Edison Electric Ill. Co., Lighting .	$14.70
People's Gas & Elec. Co., " .	25.54
B. & M. R. R., Freight . .	245.53
W. F. Wheeler, Teaming . .	344.87
Darrow, Mann Co., Coal . .	1,927.28
W. W. Fisk & Co., Fuel . .	13.53
J. Bath, Labor . . .	1.15
Car Fares	144.95
City of Melrose, Tuition .	689.41
Town of Wakefield, " .	100.00
City of Woburn, " .	60.00
American Express Co., Express .	1.42
W. E. Whittier, Printing . .	34.25
J. S. Lewis " . .	3.00

Charles Poor,	Labor	$2.78
R. K. Brown,	"	19.71
C. Baldwin,	Stock and Labor	44.70
W. N. Gray,	" "	47.92
M. H. O'Brien,	" "	10.17
I. R. Roberts,	Repair Clocks	3.00
J. Butler,	Supplies	2.00
M. J. Kelly,	Cleaning	4.00
J. B. Swan,	Stock and Labor	27.78
A. J. Smith,	" "	78.10
C. W. Houghton,	" "	664.26
H. W. Bailey,	Tuning	2.50
W. Smith,	Labor	2.60
L. Harding,	Truant Officer	20.00
A. Cutter,	Labor	44.12
H. P. Josslyn	"	4.20
A. J. Kempton,	Stock and Labor	59.35
Roberts Iron Wks. Co.,	Supplies	4.72
S. P. Hutchinson,	Stock and Labor	99.25
E. A. Holden,	Labor	1.25
Ginn & Co.,	Books	209.04
O. Ditson & Co.,	"	4.50
E. E. Babb & Co.,	"	614.09
J. L. Hammett Co.,	"	460.21
D. Appleton & Co.,	"	31.67
C. C. Burchard & Co.,	"	24.30
Silver Burdett & Co.,	"	3.34
C. E. Merrill Co.,	"	9.15
B. H. Sanborn & Co.,	"	11.05
M. Bradley Co.,	"	22.78
L. E. Knott Co.,	Supplies	39.57
F. J. Barnard,	"	129.03
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	22.10
Chandler & Barber,	"	10.19
Shepard, Clark & Co.,	"	34.47
Holden Pat. Bk. Cover Co.,	"	52.05

E. L. Patch Co.,	Supplies	$15.53
W. C. Whitcher,	"	44.89
Penn Metal Clg. & Rfg. Co.,	"	85.95
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.,	"	17.50
G. W. Blanchard & Co.,	"	112.09
Water Dept.,	"	434.53
Middlesex Co., Truant School		52.00
Mellett's Orchestra, Music		10.00
Bridgeport Wood Fin. Co.,	Supplies	1.00
American Seating Co.,	"	164.05
Whittier Printing Co.,	"	23.15
Standard Exting. Co.,	"	60.00
Carter, Rice Co.,	"	2.50
W. O. Harding Co.,	"	1.70
E. L. Kellogg, Damages		8.00
A. P. Rhoades, Lettering		8.05
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co.,	Supplies	15.00
Jordan Marsh Co.,	"	5.80
C. E. Coffin, Shades		21.75
R. L. Bowser Co.,	Supplies	6.00
J. J. Thompson,	"	61.75
Haskell Adams Co.,	"	16.50
Union Soapstone Co.,	"	36.00
W. Steele, Posts		2.60
David Grant, Census		40.00
Bampers & Cook,	Supplies	9.57
District Police,	Boiler Inspector	9.00
D. J. Green & Co.,	Supplies	24.00
American Book Co.,	Books	117.32
Harding U. & R. Co.,	Supplies	15.78
Blodgett Clock Co.,	"	.51
D. C. Heath & Co.,	Books	48.63
C. E. Stevens,	Supt.	1,440.00
C. J. Emerson,	High	1,800.00
A. L. Robinson,	"	700.00
F. L. Sherman,	"	675.00

E. L. Kellogg,	High	$675.00
E. L. Fuller,	"	620.00
E. Garland,	IX	600.00
L. Bessey,	"	660.00
N. E. Weymouth,	VIII	230.00
E. F. Hard,	"	575.00
E. M. Paige,	"	345.00
A. V. Peyton,	VII	575.00
E. A. Dike,	"	575.00
L. M. Dickenson,	"	535.00
F. A. Davis,	VI	550.00
K. A. Devlin,	"	550.00
E. M. Crowell,	V	550.00
L. B. Sweetser,	IV	575.00
A. H. Smith,	V	550.00
F. A. Graham,	III IV	261.25
A. M. Walsh,	II	550.00
K. E. Desmond,	I	550.00
Zoa Wiggin,	II	29.75
C. E. Green,	V VI	575.00
M. E. Brown,	II	495.00
L. A. Walsh,	I	440.00
W. P. Upton,	V VI	575.00
M. E. Gilson,	III IV	550.00
E. M. Fogg,	III	550.00
L. F. Tarbett,	I	550.00
H. I. P. Upton,	IV	575.00
L. M. Sanford,	III	550.00
H. L. Briggs,	II	550.00
B. F. Dodge,	I	550.00
N. A. Healy,	II III	460.00
E. F. Bancroft,	Sewing	52.50
C. L. Powers,	Sewing	122.50
E. F. Cross,	Drawing	400.00
G. R. Barnstead,	Mil. Drill	100.00
W. F. Brackett,	Manual Training	480.00

E. M. Griffin, Music		$500.00
H. O. Child, Janitor	South	162.48
R. K. Brown, "	High	750.00
G. J. Child, "	D. & C.	799.92
F. B. Jenkins, "	South	135.40
H. W. Collier, "		287.48
L. E. Sweetser "		27.08
W. Howe, "	North	25.00
Chas. Poor, "	East	324.96
W. A. Smith		114.51
		$32,769.56

School Physician

Appropriation	$61.00
Expended	52.00
Unexpended	$9.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

F. E. Park, M. D., School Physician $52.00

Poor Department

Inventory Jan. 1, 1910		$5,129.62
Appropriation		5,216.56
Received from State, Cities and Towns		844.77
Received from the Farm		2,561.78
Due from State, Cities and Towns		426.64
		$14,179.37
Inventory Jan. 1, 1909	$4,623.67	
Due from S., C. and T. Jan. 1, 1909	240.50	
Expended	7,747.57	
		$12,611.74

Inventory	Jan. 1, '09	Jan. 1, '10
Stock	$978.00	$1,167.00
Hay and Grain	585.90	898.50
Wood and Coal	501.82	365.00
Manure	192.00	216.50
Provisions	220.55	291.99
Tools and Wagons	922.55	820.10
Crockery and Glassware	100.00	150.00
Furniture	1,016.50	1,000 00
Cash	106.35	220.53
	$4,623.67	$5,129.62

ALMSHOUSE

Detail of Expenditure

J. H. White, Superintendent		$575.00
J. H. White, Supplies		435.30
J. H. White, Cows		355.00
S. G. Hanson, Labor		1.00
W. Kane,	"	68.00
F. Asler,	"	50.00
L. Winkley,	"	140.00
F. Wiley,	"	83.50
T. Pares,	"	100.00
Bell Hardware Co.,	Supplies	67.94
G. W. Blanchard & Co.,	"	24.57
Deferrari Bros.,	"	3.70
A. L. Messer,	"	3.31
S. P. Finnegan,	"	68.38
F. P. Ross,	"	21.93
A. W. Rice,	"	8.55
G. H. Allen,	"	2.55
S. K. Ames,	"	49.06
Hayward & Fox,	"	1.05
A. J. LeDuc,	"	20.28
Sturtevant & Gilbert,	"	44.55

E. C. Alward,	Supplies	$17.61
W. H. Hatch,	"	2.75
J. B. Sanborn,	"	7.24
R. Ervin, Stock and Labor		9.70
R. L. Bowser Co.,	Supplies	11.94
Keenan & McDonough,	"	50.40
M. A. Scally,	"	10.20
J. G. Beede,	Labor	18.00
L. P. Cochran,	"	13.50
W. W. Fisk & Co.,	Supplies	337.50
W. C. Whitcher,	"	555.82
N. E. T. & T. Co.,	Tolls	23.55
Killorin Cont. Co.,	Supplies	5.00
Curley Bros.,	"	390.93
Milley Soap Co.,	"	17.25
O. P. Symonds & Co.,	"	7.40
Cutler Bros.,	"	9.15
Broad Guage Iron Wks. Co.	"	2.60
C. L. Howe & Co.,	"	7.50
G. W. Nickerson, M. D.,	Physician	150.00
E. L. Patch Co.,	Supplies	8.75
Bowker Fertilizer Co.,	"	5.00
O. A. Farley,	"	35.10
H. E. Fisk Seed Co.,	"	4.35
F. W. Gibbons & Co.,	"	10.50
Ames Plow Co.,	"	4.42
J. Breck & Sons Co.,	"	9.50
New York Nursery Co.,	"	3.75
Hooker Wyman Co.,	"	2.50
F. G. Wiley, Pigs		22.00
Hovey & Co.,	Supplies	3.50
Collins Hdw. Co.,	"	23.26
Water Dept.,	"	4.99
McKenna Bros.	"	63.36
Ginter Gro. Co.,	"	3.15
Est. Dr. A. H. Cowdrey,	Hay	30.00

J. Meegan, Stock and Labor	$162.00	
J. J. Claffy, " "	15.50	
L. Hoyt, " "	20.52	
Bowman & Co., Supplies	17.04	
Rev. W. J. Millerick, Grass	5.00	
A. S. Hovey, Supplies	81.06	
J. F. VanBuskirk, Labor	12.00	
C. Boyd, "	31.00	
S. A. Hill, "	14.25	
T. R. McNelly, Stock and Labor	2.00	
William Munn, Ice	45.00	
C. W. Houghton, Supplies	34.42	
M. H. McKenna, "	1.25	
Water Dept., "	23.09	
E. Caldwell, "	2.65	
R. D. Wall, "	2.50	
		$4,680.83

AID TO PERSONS OUTSIDE THE ALMSHOUSE

M. Day	$79.35	C. E. Austin	$140.09
Ada Hill	77.00	E. A. Melbourne	60.00
M. Cloutman	85.22	H. Trefry	97.33
P. Higgins	53.00	Mrs. M. Junio	76.65
K. Purcell	50.50	Charles Moore	5.00
A. Monahan	76.00	L. Thomas	126.89
W. Keating	11.05	J. McGrady	13.26
H. H. Willey	7.63	M. Davidson	3.63
W. Smith	5.48	H. S. Drew	10.33
W. Holden	23.35	M. Magner	8.00
M. Nelson	30.34	J. C. Yancey	146.00
W. F. Lyon	118.60	J. F. Cunningham	2.57
Frank Killorin	24.29	W. Hadley	15.48
T. F. McKenna	105.71	A. McCarthy	2.86
J. H. Quillen	56.96	J. H. McDermott	35.98
W. Paige	3.63	J. Boyce	3.63
J. Keating	70.22	G. H. Goodwin	105.76

B. O'Donnell	$61.43	M. Hubbard	$9.40
Parker	5.00	W. C. Mallett	66.00
J. Sullivan	9.00	H. Yeaton	42.25
A. W. Stephenson	90.86	Mary A. Kelly	87.14
H. Thomas	20.00	F. L. Johnson	7.00
G. Hanson	4.00	J. Leach	19.60
W. Surrette	4.50		

$2,157.97

AID TO PERSONS LIVING IN STONEHAM AND BELONGING IN OTHER PLACES

J. Wilson, Chelsea	$145.52	
R. J. Kennedy, Boston	33.14	
Stiles Card, Wakefield	13.63	
J. H. Sloame, Sudbury	1.85	
Emma Goodrich, New Bedford	20.55	
M. Jenkins, Boston	42.26	
A. Giddes, Cambridge	91.16	
J. Hurley, Woburn	20.73	
M. King, State	82.00	
L. Williams, Danvers	90.46	
Mrs. T. Froton, Reading	125.57	
J. Thornton, Peabody	114.00	
J. H. Clohecy, Haverhill	15.70	
William Richards, State	4.00	
C. Whitcomb, No. Adams	70.00	
A. Bonenfant, State	6.00	
G. A. Pascal, Boston	2.50	
W. Doucette, Reading	17.70	
S. Minuloti, Boston	6.00	
J. F. McCarty, Melrose	6.00	
		$908.77

$3,066.74

STATE AID

Wm. Arnold	$72.00	Mary Arnold	$48.00

A. Andrews	72.00	D. A. Abbott	72.00
M. F. Ames	60.00	Susan E. Burdick	48.00
E. W. Burbank	48.00	E. S. Barker	38.00
E. C. Brown	8.00	A. Call	48.00
G. L. Call	72.00	Nellie Callahan	48.00
Ann Campbell	48.00	G. A. Chubbuck	72.00
B. J. Cheever	48.00	C. A. Crosby	40.00
Jane Clough	48.00	T. J. Cobbett	24.00
M. G. Crooker	48.00	W. Casey	18.00
E. S. Chandler	48.00	W. F. Cowdrey	60.00
M. J. Dempsey	72.00	A. E. Downes	48.00
C. Dow	48.00	I. M. Dewhurst	48.00
Abbie T. Dike	20.00	H. F. C. Roxbee	48.00
M. R. Emery	48.00	M. Eaton	48.00
E. Eaton	48.00	W. F. Elliott	72.00
Persis Elliott	48.00	M. H. Ellis	48.00
M. L. Freeman	48.00	L. A. Foster	48.00
S. A. Gould	48.00	J. S. Gilmore	32.00
J. C. Green	48.00	Mary Hamill	48.00
S. G. Hanson	72.00	E. E. Hanson	48.00
L. J. Harris	48.00	Ann Hogan	48.00
A. A. Hopkins	48.00	N. A. Healey	48.00
F. E. Howe	16.00	W. P. Howe	36.00
Abbie Hurd	48.00	N. A. Hartwell	12.00
J. L. Hadley	48.00	J. C. Howard	72.00
Emma Johnson	48.00	G. H. Jenkins	48.00
W. H. Jones	4.00	L. A. Jones	48.00
Judith Lincoln	48.00	O. Kelley	48.00
M. J. Measures	48.00	E. J. Leavitt	8.00
L. A. Mason	48.00	M. A. Marden	16.00
Alice McCall	48.00	C. Wood	48.00
F. F. Murphy	48.00	H. O. Mansfield	72.00
D. Nary	66.00	Ansel Nickerson	42.00
E. J. Osgood	48.00	J. W. Osbourne	52.00
John W. Nichols	24.00	A. J. Pierce	48.00
M. Purcell	72.00	C. W. Person	48.00

E. A. Perry	$48.00	S. W. Pearson	$34.00
A. G. Pearson	12.00	E. S. Robbins	48.00
P. Rafferty	72.00	M. Rafferty	48.00
B. M. Sheridan	48.00	M. Sullivan	72.00
S. S. Stevens	20.00	G. H. Spooner	72.00
L. E. Sweetser	72.00	M. C. Sweetser	48.00
H. A. Stevens	48.00	W. T. Terry	72.00
M. P. Terry	48.00	T. G. Taft	72.00
M. Taylor	48.00	John Thornton	24.00
G. W. Whitney	20.00	H. M. Whitehouse	48.00
Henry Williams	42.00	J. E. Wiley	72.00
S. H. Willey	48.00	W. F. Wright	48.00
E. E. Wilson	48.00	V. Woodis	40.00
J. Whittaker	48.00	J. E. Woodward	20.00
M. P. Weston	72.00	J. C. Young	48.00
			$4,950.00

Military Aid

Appropriation	$150.00
Received from State	208.50
	$358.50

Detail of Expenditure

H. A. Long	$192.00	
		$166.50

Soldier's Relief

Appropriation	$2,939.77
Received from State, Cities and Towns	339.00
	$3,277.77
Expended	2,804.84
Unexpended	$472.93

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

H. E. Maxfield	$183.63	E. S. Robbins	$149.29
W. F. Elliott	120.00	Mrs. J.E. Frederick	24.00
Mary Murphy	120.00	B. F. MacAllister	120.16
O. V. Marr	60.00	A. A. Cooley	96.00
M. H. Ellis	48.00	L. B. Black	60.00
B. J. Cheever	72.00	Mrs. B. C. Smith	60.00
J. E. Wiley	60.00	Mrs. G. W. Osgood	60.00
L. E. Sweetser	67.00	L. J. Harris	60.00
H. F. Roxbee	48.00	M. Purcell	184.75
L. Patten	20.00	E. P. Dodge	35.00
Mrs. K. Crosby	47.00	M. C. Holt	150.41
N. G. Pierce	25.00	Mrs. H. Campbell	71.50
M. C. Bemis	157.25	G. F. Moody	37.00
H. Dike	182.29	M. Cody	54.25
J. Measures	20.16	H. A. Long	34.15
J. L. Craig	45.00	M. Hanscom	32.00
D. Atwood	27.00	M. B. Marden	37.00
M. J. Dempsey	6.75	D. A. Abbott	35.00
H. C. Richardson	37.00	W. P. Howe	57.00
S. Berry	53.00	G. D. Marston	37.00
E. T. Howe	5.00	G. Chubbuck	6.25
			$2,804.84

Board of Health

Appropriation	$300.00
Expended	$300.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

H. M. Hanson, Typewriting	$1.00
H. E. Lewis, Supplies	7.00
H. L. Emerson, "	38.30
Whittier Print. Co. "	11.25
G. N. Green, Supplies	6.00

J. C. C. Small, Services	$42.00	
A. C. Jones, "	10.00	
G. N. Green, Agent	36.72	
J. A. Stockwell, Services	23.50	
City of Malden	90.90	
G. H. Allen, Milk Inspector	33.33	
		$300.00

Street Railing

Appropriation	$500.00
Expended	459.51
Unexpended	$40.49

Detail of Expenditure

L. L. Gove, Stock and Labor	$448.01	
Chadwick Boston Lead Co.	11.50	
		$459.51

Police Department

Appropriation	$3,100.00
Expended	3,096.08
Unexpended	$3.92

Detail of Expenditure

S. H. Green, Chief	$884.00	
J. C. C. Small, Patrolman	832.00	
J. J. Scally, "	832.00	
J. F. Cogan, Special	2.00	
J. L. White, "	2.00	
M. Connolly, "	2.25	
J. J. Thompson, "	2.00	
J. B. Scribner, "	3.00	

L. F. Payson,	Special	.	$4.00
A. E. Longmore,	"	.	2.00
A. W. Woodward,	"	.	2.00
D. W. Gerry,	"	.	2.00
W. J. Corcoran,	"	.	4.00
T. DeRosa,	"	.	2.00
W. C. Campbell,	"	.	2.50
E. C. Ross,	"	.	3.00
L. P. Cochran,	"	.	2.50
F. A. Wood,	"	.	2.00
J. J. O'Brien,	"	.	220.00
G. S. Drew,	"	.	43.75
A. Briggs,	"	.	5.00
J. Hersey,	"	.	1.75
U. S. G. Clark,	"	.	6.50
W. E. Whittier,	Supplies	.	8.40
A. W. Rice,	"	.	.50
R. Mastrangralo,	"	.	21.55
H. L. Emerson,	"	.	.75
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	.	1.10
R. D. Wall,	"	.	4.50
A. W. Chamberlain,	"	.	5.00
C. Baldwin,	"	.	4.10
Wm. Read & Sons,	"	.	3.25
Badger Fire Ex. Co.,	"	.	1.50
Whittier Printing Co.,	"	.	4.00
W. J. Allen, Gun	.	.	10.00
C. M. Boyce, Team	.	.	1.00
Auto List Pub. Co.,	Supplies	.	2.00
R. L. Bowser Co.	"	.	6.25
S. H. Green,	"	.	65.25
S. H. Green, Lockup Keeper		.	20.00
J. J. Scally, Fees		.	18.83
C. H. Severance, "		.	55.85
			$3,096.08

Town Officers

Appropriation	$5,225.00
Expended	5,225.00

Detail of Expenditure

G. N. Green, Town Clerk	$700.00
G. N. Green, Clerk B'd Public Works	300.00
G. N. Green, Registrar	50.00
F. E. Nickerson, Treasurer	500.00
G. R. Barnstead, Selectman	100.00
C. F. Buck, Selectman	100.00
A. N. Newhall, Selectman	100.00
John Best, Assessor	300.00
G. W. Newhall, Assessor	300.00
A. P. Rhoades, Assessor	300.00
W. C. Bancroft, Overseer	167.34
J. G. Beede, Overseer	116.33
S. A. Lawrence, Overseer	116.33
L. L. Gove, B'd Public Works	100.00
J. A. Jones, B'd Public Works	100.00
R. R. Patch, B'd Public Works	100.00
Fred H. Chase, Auditor	150.00
T. S. Ireland, Auditor	150.00
G. A. Hinchcliffe, B'd of Health	75.00
M. D. Sheehan, B'd of Health	50.00
J. C. C. Small, B'd of Health	50.00
A. J. Burnett, Insp. Plumbing	300.00
H. H. Dane, Janitor	150.00
G. B. Williams, Sealer	100.00
J. B. Sanborn, Registrar	25.00
F. E. Kerns, Registrar	25.00
William Garside, Registrar	25.00
S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1908	75.00
S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1904	75.00
S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1905	175.00

S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1906	175.00	
S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1907	150.00	
C. A. Owen, Moderator	25.00	
		$5,225.00

Miscellaneous

Appropriation	$3,027.77
Received Taxes on Property Redeemed	149.81
	$3,177.58
Expended	3,087.38
Unexpended	$90.20

Detail of Expenditure

H. M. Hanson, Typewriting	$3.00
B. & M. R. R. Co., Rent	1.00
M. E. Robertson, Services	10.00
H. S. Drew, Labor	5.00
S. A. Lawrence, Expense	145.88
F. E. Park, M. D., Services	2.00
J. A. Stockwell, Services	30.00
J. A. Bancroft, Services	5.00
C. W. Messer, Returning Deaths	15.75
A. B. Jenney, Returning Births	7.25
E. O. Childs, Recording	11.25
Henry Shaw, Services	3.18
H. H. Applin, Examining Records	31.26
George S. Buss, Services	29.00
Lowell & Lowell, Services	500.00
M. D. Sheehan, Returning Births	24.00
C. E. Montague, Returning Births	.25
R. Dutton, Returning Births	.25
G. A. Hinchcliffe, Expenses	1.00
R. A. Sullivan, Burying Cat	.50

T. J. Sullivan, Stock and Labor	$9.27
W. C. Bancroft, Expenses	5.75
George Thayer, Labor on Booths	5.00
S. A. Lawrence, Taxes	194.38
L. L. Gove, Building Inspector	50.00
G. H. Allen, Cattle Inspector	204.15
Peoples Gas & Elec. Co., Gas	23.30
N. E. T. & T. Co., Tolls	85.25
G. R. Barnstead, Supplies	11.25
H. L. Emerson, Supplies	7.80
Hobbs & Warren Co., Supplies	35.65
G. H. Ellis Co., Printing	17.50
J. S. Lewis, Printing	43.25
Whittier Printing Co., Printing	350.64
Wakefield Item, Printing	3.25
Pneumatic Hand Stamp Co., Supplies	1.11
O. Gilmore & Co., Insurance	405.88
Banks Law Pub. Co., Supplies	10.00
F. W. Barry Beale Co., Supplies	3.30
A. W. Rice, Supplies	.35
G. Green, Supplies	16.00
Wright & Potter Ptg. Co., Supplies	1.40
Paine Furniture Co., Desk	23.50
Thorpe & Martin Co., Supplies	7.50
W. H. Sprague, P. M., Supplies	84.84
Library Bureau, Supplies	9.14
Woodman Co., Supplies	1.35
American Express Co., Express	.25
H. M. Meek Pub. Co., Directory	6.00
Thos. Groom & Co., Supplies	7.90
C. M. Boyce & Son, Team	22.50
G. B. Williams, Supplies	.60
Assessor's Car Fares	2.07
F. E. Nickerson, Supplies	37.51
J. A. Jones, Ins. on High School	150.00
S. A. Hill, Ins. on High School	225.00

C. Baldwin, Supplies	$6.70
Bell Hardware Co., Supplies	.95
Hobbs & Warren Co., Supplies	1.00
J. G. Beede, Car Fare	4.00
C. E. Coffin, Shade	5.15
C. W. Houghton, Supplies	.60
T. E. Rolfe, Catering	67.50
C. A. Stone, Teller, Mar. and Nov.	7.45
C. P. Brawley, " " "	7.45
W. P. Martsch, " " "	7.45
J. W. Kelly, " " "	7.45
C. S. Lynde, " " "	7.45
J. H. Fitzpatrick " " "	7.45
G. A. Hersam, " " "	2.55
L. J. Fedigan, " " "	2.55
F. E. Kerns, " " "	2.55
L. E. Blodgett, " " "	7.45
C. H. Severance, " "	4.05
C. H. Turnbull, " "	4.05
B. W. Halpin, " "	4.05
H. G. Daley, " "	4.05
G. W. Newhall, " "	4.05
P. A. Blood, " "	1.65
W. C. Whiting, " "	1.65
W. W. Chapman, " "	1.65
C. H. Biganes, " "	1.65
P. I. Hutchins, " "	1.65
J. A. Conley, " "	1.65
W. F. Maguire, " "	1.65
E. J. Donahue, " "	1.66
G. B. McKenna, " "	1.65
A. J. Alden, " Nov.	3.40
C. E. Cloutman, " "	3.40
J. E. Fulton, " "	3.40
A. R. Ramsdell, " "	.90
F. E. Parks, " "	.90

A. T. Peacock,	" Nov.	.90	
F. S. Desmond,	" "	.90	
J. D. Anderson,	" "	.90	
J. Best,	" "	.90	
G. Callahan,	" "	.90	
			$3,087.37

By-Laws

Appropriation	$250.00
Expended	245.50
Unexpended	$4.50

Detail of Expenditure

J. A. Stockwell, Services	$184.00	
Whittier Printing Co.,	61.50	
		$245.50

Fire Department

Appropriation	$5,000.00
Expended	4,967.98
Unexpended	$32.02

Detail of Expenditure

Edison Electric Ill. Co., Lighting	$77.70
N. E. T. & T. Co., Tolls	32.98
G. E. Sturtevant, Care Air Plant Rm	48.00
G. E. Sturtevant, Engineer	115.00
G. E. Sturtevant, Fire Warden	10.00
G. E. Sturtevant, Labor Fire Alarm	50.00
A. J. Smith, Engineer	75.00

A. J. Smith, Fire Warden	$10.00
A. J. Smith, Labor Fire Alarm	49.00
L. F. Bruce, Engineer	75.00
L. F. Bruce, Fire Warden	10.00
L. F. Bruce, Labor Fire Alarm	78.00
Pay Roll, Hose 1	835.00
Pay Roll, Hose 2	545.00
Pay Roll, Hose 3	445.00
Pay Roll, H. & L.	745.00
C. M. Boyce & Son, Hauling Hose	136.50
Wm. Munn, Hauling H. & L.	382.50
J. H. Duncklee. Hauling Hose	3.00
Bell Hardware Co., Supplies	13.71
Burton Oil Co., Supplies	1.50
E. Caldwell, Supplies	1.65
F. H. LeBaron, Supplies	33.00
R. D. Wall, Stock and Labor	13.00
M. J. Corcoran, Cleaning Harness	14.00
C. H. Severance, Hauling Hose	59.50
H. & L. Ex. Co., Hauling Eng. & Reel	375.00
H. & L. Express Co., Express	16.35
Water Department, Supplies	27.00
W. O. Harding & Co., Supplies	1.87
S. Crouch, Supplies	5.75
H. E. Bellows, Supplies	.75
C. W. Houghton, Supplies	4.67
Keenan & McDonough, Supplies	47.70
American Express Co., Express	1.60
G. W. Blanchard Co., Supplies	6.79
Amoskeag Stm. Fire Eng. Co., Sup.	19.20
G. D. McIntosh, Inspector	5.00
E. L. Patch Co., Supplies	1.90
Jos. Butler, Supplies	135.43
Saville, Somes & Co., Supplies	3.23
Nickerson Mfg. Co., Supplies	4.05
G. E. Thayer, Labor	15.15

R. W. LeBaron, Stock and Labor		$147.93	
M. O'Loughlin, Cleaning		2.00	
C. F. Symonds, Stock and Labor		5.50	
Pettingill, Andrews Co., Supplies		84.50	
Thos. McDermott, Labor		12.50	
Gamewell F. A. Tel. Co., Supplies		40.26	
H. T. Mellett, Supplies		8.75	
P. A. Stevens, Painting		81.00	
W. C. Moore, Labor		2.00	
Boston Coupling Co., Supplies		20.03	
H. H. Esterbrook, Supplies		1.50	
E. Caldwell, Desk and Shades		14.50	
Chas. Baldwin, Stock and Labor		17.03	
			$4,967.98

Fire Department Pay Roll

M. J. Corcoran,	Hose 1	Steward	$125.00	
M. J. Corcoran,	"		50.00	
Louis Willet,	"		50.00	
James Cullen,	"		50.00	
John J. Cody,	"		50.00	
Wm. A. Brooks,	"		50.00	
J. E. Finnegan,	"	Clerk	55.00	
John Gray,	"		50.00	
Stillman Crouch,	"		50.00	
John Regan,	"		50.00	
Wm. E. Manzer,	"		50.00	
Homer LeBrun,	"		50.00	
John Gagnon,	"		41.67	
Robert Boag,	"		8.33	
S. Crouch,	"	Eng.	105.00	
				$835.00
James Quinn,	Hose 2	Steward	$20.00	
Peter Quinn,	"	"	20.00	
Peter Quinn,	"		50.00	

James Quinn,	Hose 2	.	$50.00	
C. E. Cloutman,	"	.	50.00	
Joseph Keenan,	"	.	50.00	
Joseph McDonnell,	"	.	50.00	
Thos. McDermott,	"	.	50.00	
Moody Newhall,	"	.	50.00	
John Fedigan,	"	.	50.00	
George Batchelder,	"	.	50.00	
Arthur Newhall,	"	Clerk .	55.00	
				$545.00
F. L. Newhall,	Hose 3	Steward .	$40.00	
F. L. Newhall,	"	.	50.00	
Joseph Tansey,	"	.	50.00	
John Wall,	"	.	50.00	
James Duncklee,	"	.	50.00	
John Carr,	"	.	50.00	
U. S. G. Clark,	"	.	50.00	
John Sullivan,	"	.	50.00	
Charles Sweet,	"	Clerk .	55.00	
				$445.00
C. E. Cloutman,	H. & L.	Steward .	$40.00	
C. E. Cloutman,	"	.	50.00	
M. D. Whitcher,	"	.	50.00	
S. E. Barnstead,	"	.	50.00	
R. F. Chase,	"	.	50.00	
J. L. Gilson,	"	Clerk .	55.00	
G. R. Barnstead,	"	.	50.00	
J. F. Foshey,	"	.	50.00	
W. H. Sanborn,	"	.	50.00	
Walter Gorham,	"	.	50.00	
F. E. Parks,	"	.	50.00	
W. H. Lamb,	"	.	50.00	
E. S. Frazier,	"	.	50.00	
F. L. Wilkins,	"	.	50.00	
W. C. Moore,	"	.	50.00	
				$745.00

Hose

Appropriation	$550.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

C. C. Callahan Co., Hose	$550.00	

Fire Alarm Box

Appropriation	$85.00
Expended	81.30
Unexpended	$3.70

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Gamewell F. A. Tel. Co., Box	$75.00	
C. M. Boyce & Son, Team	1.50	
R. W. LeBaron, Stock and Labor	4.80	
		$81.30

Highway Department

Appropriation	$7,500.00
Received from State St. Railway Tax	1,433.32
" " Stone	15.00
" " B. & N. St. Railway	37.04
	$8,985.66
Expended	8,965.97
Unexpended	$19.69

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Eagle Oil & Supply Co.,	Supplies	$23.13
G. W. Blanchard & Co.,	"	4.67
Dyer Supply Co.,	"	90.71

Maryland Casualty Co., Insurance		$303.83	
Wadsworth, Howland Co.,	Supplies	9.44	
McKenna Bros.,	"	1.50	
B. & M. R. R. Co., Freight		74.67	
Waldo Bros.,	Supplies	74.56	
Puritan Iron Works Co.,	"	21.40	
J. L. & H. K. Potter,	"	165.00	
R. D. Wall, Stock and Labor		25.00	
American Express Co., Express		.75	
T. R. McNelly, Stock and Labor		11.70	
R. Ervin, "	"	9.90	
Bell Hardware Co.,	Supplies	3.60	
Barrett Mfg. Co.,	"	442.50	
Winchester Stone Co.,	"	112.56	
A. J. Elliott & Co.,	"	4.00	
Buffallo Steam Roller Co.,	"	6.40	
Heirs of R. G. Richardson,	Gravel	2.10	
A. J. Durgin,	"	36.50	
T. Mulroney,	"	12.30	
Jos. Butler, Supplies		134.79	
W. B. Jones, Surveying		16.00	
F. E. Owen, Gravel		13.00	
J. M. Hunt, "		1.80	
J. P. McHale, "		24.90	
M. H. O'Brien, Stock and Labor		8.00	
L. L. Gove, "	"	15.82	
J. S. Lewis, Printing		1.32	
T. W. Howard Leather Co.,	Gravel	17.00	
Hayward & Litch Ex. Co.,	Teaming	9.70	
Pay Roll		7,286.91	
			$8,965.97

Public Library

Appropriation	$1,700.00

Received from Fines and Catalogues	$93.00
" " Dog Tax	430.45
" " Interest on Note	15.00
" " G. L. W. Dike Fund	85.00
	$2,323.45
Expended	2,322.62
Unexpended	.83

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Edison Electric Ill. Co., Lighting	$212.60
M. H. Boyce, Librarian	349.92
S. A. Lynde, Asso. Librarian	300.00
P. C. Jones, Janitor	255.46
P. C. Jones, Supplies	7.00
M. H. Boyce, "	58.05
L. E. Sweetser, Janitor	5.25
F. J. Barnard, Binding	49.30
D. Farquhar, "	122.40
S. Huntzelman, Printing	13.50
J. S. Lewis, Enterprise	6.00
Whittier Printing Co., Supplies	12.50
R. A. Whittaker, "	15.00
Mutual Sub. Agency, Books	111.90
A. W. Rice, "	5.85
DeWolfe Fiske Co., "	226.08
J. Butler, Wood	19.25
W. W. Fisk, Fuel	180.00
Bell Hardware Co., Supplies	7.20
J. Breck & Sons Co., "	4.58
Old Corner Book Store, Books	19.50
W. B. Clarke & Co., "	98.28
Stone & Forsyth, Supplies	22.50
W. Munn, Ice	3.00
H. M. Meek, Books	3.00
John Best, "	8.00

Puritan Linotype, Supplies	$13.50	
Chas. Baldwin, Stock and Labor	23.95	
Home Correspondence School, Books	2.50	
W. C. Whiting, Stock and Labor	4.65	
W. F. Wheeler, " "	4.00	
Water Department, Water	7.00	
Holophane Co., Supplies	6.25	
Typewriter Exchange, Typewriter	50.00	
E. C. Alward, Supplies	1.25	
Thos. Nelson & Co., Books	68.40	
Foster Bros., Picture	25.00	
		$2,322.62

Lindenwood Cemetery

Appropriation	$280.68
Received from Sale of Wood	67.00
" " " " Lots, Graves, Care and Repairs	2,979.55
	$3,327.23
Expended	2,567.71
Unexpended	$759.52

Detail of Expenditure

A. Woodward, Labor	$478.49	
D. Sweet, "	372.24	
J. Fedigan, "	276.50	
A. L. Keyes, "	220.25	
J. Connell, "	47.37	
A. Doucette, "	242.25	
W. Martsch, "	225.12	
C. W. Messer, "	142.15	
C. W. Messer, Team	55.61	
L. Russell, Labor	16.50	

C. W. Messer, Manure 1903-8	$110.00	
C. W. Messer, " 1909	29.00	
D. J. McKay, Plants and Labor	25.00	
C. Baldwin, Supplies	5.92	
McDonald Bros., Sand	3.00	
T. A. Mulroney, Concrete	145.38	
Bell Hardware Co., Supplies	42.31	
J. S. Lewis, "	2.50	
J. Breck & Sons, "	1.25	
Jos. Butler, "	14.15	
Crouch Moter Co., "	11.00	
R. Ervin, "	9.60	
W. C. Whitcher, "	14.35	
A. S. Parker, "	16.50	
T. R. McNelly, "	2.80	
C. W. Houghton, "	14.08	
C. M. Thompson, "	7.50	
Water Dept., Water	36.89	
		$2,567.71

Lindenwood Cemetery Fence

Appropriation	$615.00
Received from sale of Old Fence	23.79
	$638.79
Expended	638.12
Unexpended	.67

Detail of Expenditure

John McHale, Building Wall	$114.00	
Joseph Butler, Supplies	15.50	
C. W. Houghton, Stock and Labor	415.00	
C. W. Messer, Team	63.12	
Lindenwood Cemetery, Cement	15.50	
Lindenwood Cemetery, Labor	15.00	
		$638.12

Perpetual Care of Lots

Fund 1907-8	$66.50
Fund 1909	739.50
Expended	$806.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Cemetery Superintendent 1909	$739.50	
C. W. Messer, 1907-8	66.50	
		$806.00

Old Burying Ground

Appropriation	$35.00
Expended	26.83
Unexpended	$8.17

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Charles Anderson, Labor	$11.88	
C. C. Dike, Labor	7.50	
C. C. Dike, Supplies	1.45	
Chapman, Labor	6.00	
		$26.83

Decoration Day

Appropriation	$375.00
Expended	373.25
Unexpended	$1.75

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

C. H. Batchelder & Co., Flags.	$27.35
A. Ham, Supplies	1.00

E. B. White, Express	$2.00	
H. N. Wilson, Wreaths	55.60	
D. J. McKay & Co., Flowers	86.20	
Winchester Band, Music	79.50	
W. J. Millerick, Labor	12.00	
C. M. Boyce & Son, Team	32.00	
Whittier Printing Co., Supplies	11.00	
H. French, Oration	25.00	
Joseph Butler, Team	6.00	
J. P. Gould Post 75, G.A.R., Repairs	30.00	
Charles Thompson, Supplies	5.60	
		373.25

Armory

Receipts from Rent	$1,385.45
" " State	900.00
	$2,285.45
Expended	2,225.85
Unexpended	$63.60

Detail of Expenditure

S. E. Barnstead, Janitor	$661.18
People's Gas & Elec. Co., Gas	4.90
Edison Electric Ill. Co., Lighting	276.90
N. E. T. & T. Co., Tolls	23.49
Keenan & McDonough, Supplies	3.35
Bay State Mil. Rifle Asso., Range	382.92
Chas. Brown, Wood	16.25
Water Dept., Water	19.87
W. I. Thompson, Supplies	2.93
H. W. Johns Manville Co., "	155.00
E. L. Patch Co., "	2.00
W. W. Fisk, Fuel	105.64
W. A. Jepson, Supplies	34.82

B. & M. R. R., Freight		$87.77	
Hayward & Fox,	Supplies	4.40	
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	5.45	
J. Butler, Teaming		15.60	
Chas. Mills, Rent of Range		173.45	
Nickerson Mfg. Co., Supplies		6.44	
A. W. Outram, Rent of Range		12.50	
Eagle Oil Co., Supplies		7.00	
L. L. Gove,	Stock and Labor	131.22	
S. H. Hooper,	" "	65.06	
S. P. Hutchinson,	" "	1.00	
Chas. Baldwin,	" "	8.99	
M. H. O'Brien,	" "	6.24	
C. W. Houghton,	" "	11.48	
			$2,225.85

Brown Tail and Gypsy Moth

Appropriation			$2,010.93
Received from Sale of Bbls.			7.00
" " State			2,637.99
			$4,655.92
Expended		4,352.76	
" Private		1,542.25	
			$5,895.01

Detail of Expenditure

G. M. Jefts,	Labor	$772.90
E. S. Frazier,	"	702.18
J. D. Anderson,	"	527.25
F. E. Park,	"	389.04
L. L. Percy,	"	538.07
J. Quinn,	"	507.80
W. Brown,	"	347.09
F. H. Powers,	"	457.15

S. Bell,	Labor	$233.60	
J. E. Morse,	"	76.50	
L. Surrette,	"	17.00	
W. P. Martsch,	"	13.75	
J. P. Josslyn,	"	3.50	
W. P. Anderson,	"	53.25	
R. P. Roberts,	"	12.10	
T. Hoey,	"	81.99	
A. W. Harnden,	"	185.64	
P. Plourde,	"	125.17	
W. B. Parker,	"	143.94	
G. N. Green,	"	31.86	
M. S. Green,	"	12.20	
C. Baldwin,	Supplies	2.90	
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	19.07	
G. M. Jefts,	"	11.20	
A. J. Wilkinson & Co.,	"	8.00	
Cobb Insect Co.,	"	2.40	
J. W. Holden,	"	5.00	
Standard Oil Co.,	"	11.03	
Frost Insecticide Co.,	"	541.04	
Hobbs & Warren Co.,	"	2.75	
Barrett Mfg. Co.,	"	22.29	
A. W. Chesterton,	"	8.00	
Collins Hardware Co.,	"	5.55	
Ames Plow Co.,	"	10.00	
Olds Gas Power Co.,	"	3.80	
Whittier Printing Co.,	"	9.00	
A. W. Rice,	"	1.00	
			$5,895.01

Care of Shade Trees

Appropriation	$200.00
Expended	199.72
Unexpended	.28

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

S. Bell,	Labor	$1.13	
G. M. Jefts,	"	34.50	
J. D. Anderson,	"	18.90	
E. S. Frazier,	"	26.26	
L. L. Percy,	"	40.23	
J. Quinn,	"	2.53	
F. E. Park,	"	2.53	
P. Plourde,	"	35.86	
A. W. Harnden,	"	8.63	
Frost Insecticide Co.,	Supplies	5.10	
R. Ervin,	"	7.44	
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	.86	
Chase & Finnegan,	"	3.00	
Avery & Son,	"	2.60	
			$199.72

Pay Rolls

Highways	$7,286.91
Sewer	2,109.08
Water	3,312.35
Breaking Snow	1,389.17
Spencer Street Water Main	429.41
High Street	301.62
Keene Street	447.98
Central Street Sewer	203.74
Pond Street Sewer	652.03
Main Street Drain	39.91
Catch Basins	103.15
	$16,275.35

P. J. Regan,	Labor	$1,072.14	
D. P. Conway,	"	778.58	
P. McMahan,	"	507.00	
M. O'Loughlin,	"	527.55	

J. Higgins,	Labor	. .	$459.55
J. Myers,	"	. .	317.50
T. Mulroney,	"	. .	906.63
T. Cullen,	"	. .	372.00
U. S. G. Clark,	"	. .	723.00
G. C. Curry,	"	. .	764.69
J. H. Henry,	"	. .	46.89
Wm. Munn,	"	. .	19.75
F. G. Wiley,	"	. .	420.04
J. H. Duncklee,	"	. .	99.64
J. Butler,	"	. .	62.26
J. Cullen,	"	. .	1.00
C. A. Sweet,	"	. .	108.00
J. Brady,	"	. .	155.50
F. VanBuskirk,	"	. .	35.76
W. Magner,	"	. .	231.40
E. Andrews,	"	. .	11.00
G. Young,	"	. .	6.25
J. Keating,	"	. .	369.00
J. Peters,	"	. .	5.50
W. Deveau,	"	. .	19.50
W. B. Parker,	"	. .	65.38
T. Cronin,	"	. .	24.75
W. McLeod,	"	. .	153.00
W. McGah,	"	. .	303.25
P. McPartland.	"	. .	2.00
C. Freeman,	"	. .	5.00
Tuft,	"	. .	2.75
C. Cochran,	"	. .	1.25
G. Crowson,	"	. .	25.25
J. O'Donnell,	"	. .	174.75
W. Casey,	"	. .	23.50
J. Fallon,	"	. .	62.75
J. Haley,	"	. .	342.60
W. P. Martsch,	"	. .	4.00
P. McHale,	"	. .	413.35

J. Murphy,	Labor	$424.00
J. W. Holden,	"	597.91
M. Hardy,	"	72.40
J. Malonson,	"	24.65
J. McDermott,	"	14.25
T. Hines,	"	35.50
A. O'Melia,	"	17.75
M. Hanscom,	"	228.50
T. Hoey,	"	21.50
J. Fedigan,	"	69.52
L. M. Nichols,	"	51.50
J. Kernan,	"	260.00
C. Meehan,	"	53.50
N. Brodigian,	"	49.00
J. Kelley,	"	2.25
G. Maguire,	"	132.50
O. Kenney,	"	78.69
H. O. Green,	"	181.90
C. Cronin,	"	225.81
W. Crudden,	"	249.25
L. Surrette,	"	43.00
W. McLaughlin,	"	64.00
J. McGrady,	"	36.50
J. Feeley,	"	154.75
O. Kenney,	"	105.25
E. Devlin,	"	287.55
J. Connell,	"	293.25
M. Hardy,	"	123.00
C. Mason,	"	21.00
F. McLaughlin,	"	3.75
V. Lannon,	"	209.15
O. Hoey,	"	247.64
W. Keating,	"	49.75
C. Anderson,	"	54.38
M. Cody,	"	4.00
J. Riley,	"	36.00

D. Quinlan,	Labor	. .	$270.05
H. Y. Wiggin,	"	. .	27.50
P. Devaney,	"	. .	47.00
J. Cullen,	"	. .	49.75
P. McDonough,	"	. .	158.25
W. Crowson,	"	. .	208.10
A. Dempsey,	"	. .	15.75
P. Dolan,	"	. .	33.75
George Drew,	"	. .	9.00
J. Geremonte,	"	. .	32.25
T. Dowd,	"	. .	83.50
P. Murphy,	"	. .	14.75
E. Chase,	"	. .	3.25
J. Dolan,	"	. .	12.50
F. Sweet,	"	. .	27.25
J. Doherty,	"	. .	3.50
M. Flynn,	"	. .	26.25
C. Murphy,	"	. .	157.40
J. Kenney,	"	. .	3.50
F. Howe,	"	. .	193.76
P. Devlin,	"	. .	2.50
D. Sweet,	"	. .	83.50
A. Keyes,	"	. .	47.25
J. Foley,	"	. .	45.50
J. Forrest,	"	. .	31.00
J. Robinson,	"	. .	68.25
M. Surrette,	"	. .	37.43
F. Corcoran,	"	. .	2.25
G. Hamill,	"	. .	9.00
E. Washington,	"	. .	8.75
J. Chambers,	"	. .	2.00
E. Onion,	"	. .	2.00
C. Lannon,	"	. .	4.25
R. Sullivan,	"	. .	2.00
F. Morrison,	"	. .	2.00
H. Batchelder,	"	. .	2.00

R. Moody,	Labor	. .	2.00
G. FitzGerald,	"	. .	1.75
E. Donohue,	"	. .	2.25
F. Ingraham,	"	. .	8.50
J. Quinn,	"	. .	11.25
R. Ervin,	"	. .	1.00
T. Commo,	"	. .	7.75
C. Kenney,	"	. .	1.00
W. Finnegan,	"	. .	9.75
C. Price,	"	. .	6.50
W. J. B. Smith,	"	. .	6.00
J. Glynn,	"	. .	6.75
R. Ryder,	"	. .	2.75
W. Milne,	"	. .	1.75
J. McDonald,	"	. .	8.75
J. Kernan,	"	. .	1.50
M. Hubbard,	"	. .	4.50
A. Hacking,	"	. .	38.25
W. F. Wheeler,	"	. .	30.63
H. Josslyn,	"	. .	13.34
A. F. DeRosa,	"	. .	19.38
M. McKenna,	"	. .	13.56
Hayward & Litch,	"	. .	15.00
S. G. Hanson,	"	. .	7.88
C. Taylor,	"	. .	20.00
H. Severance,	"	. .	7.50
F. Martin,	"	. .	39.13
W. Bancroft,	"	. .	5.25
F. Muise,	"	. .	6.75
Hunt,	"	. .	5.75
E. A. Meeken,	"	. .	9.00
McManus,	"	. .	8.25
R. Cherry,	"	. .	8.75
F. Harris,	"	. .	3.75
T. Riley,	"	. .	3.50
Laforest,	"	. .	3.25

M. Hubbard,	Labor . .	$5.75	
A. Cogan,	" . .	3.75	
A. Doucette	" . .	3.50	
McDonald,	" . .	3.75	
J. Divee,	" . .	8.00	
J. Devoe,	" . .	11.50	
J. Doherty,	" . .	22.50	
			$16,275.35

Sewer Department

Appropriation for Maintenance . .			$1,500.00
Expended " " . .			1,501.39
" " Construction .		$1,291.38	
Pond Street " .		847.88	
Central Street " .		326.54	
Franklin Street " .		829.03	
			$3,294.93

Detail of Expenditure

B. & M. R. R., Freight . .	$61.74
H. & L. Express Co., Teaming 1908	2.70
H. & L. Express Co., " 1909	3.60
W. B. Jones, Surveying . .	9.00
Maryland Casualty Co., Insurance	152.69
Dyar Supply Co., Supplies	25.44
Crane Co., "	21.25
Waldo Bros., "	172.97
J. B. Sanborn, "	7.50
Puritan Iron Wks., "	53.20
Hercules Iron & Supply Co., "	42.50
Bell Hardware Co., "	.10
G. W. Blanchard & Co., "	9.27
N. E. Brick Co., "	82.50
Berry & Ferguson, "	18.50
Whittier Printing Co., . .	3.50

M. H. O'Brien, Stock and Labor	$7.86	
T. R. McNelly, " "	.50	
J. S. Lewis, Printing	3.87	
F. E. Park M. D., Services	5.00	
Pay Roll, Labor	2,109.08	
		$2,792.77

CENTRAL STREET

Detail of Expenditure

W. B. Jones, Surveying	$87.00	
Bell Hardware Co., Supplies	.40	
M. H. O'Brien, Stock and Labor	31.50	
G. C. Curry, Labor	4.00	
Pay Roll, Labor	203.74	
		$326.63

POND STREET

Detail of Expenditure

W. B. Jones, Surveying	$161.50	
T. R. McNelly, Stock and Labor	20.75	
M. H. O'Brien, " "	13.00	
C. Baldwin, " "	.60	
Pay Roll, Labor	652.03	
		$847.88

FRANKLIN STREET

Detail of Expenditure

Waldo Bros., Pipe	$61.49	
B. & M. R. R., Freight	36.13	
Puritan Iron Wks. Co., Supplies	12.56	
C. E. Trumball Co., Contract	710.60	
Boston Journal, Advertising	3.60	
Boston Globe, "	4.65	
		$829.03

Breaking Snow

Appropriation	$1,072.36
Expended	1,437.17

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Wadsworth Howland Co., Paint	$3.00	
T. A. Mulroney, Sand	42.00	
R. D. Wall, Stock and Labor	3.00	
Pay Roll, Labor	1,389.17	
		$1,437.17

Water Department

Estate Wm. Tidd, Rent		$241.69
N. E. T. & T. Co., Tolls		16.52
Edison Electric Ill. Co., Lighting		12.00
B. & M. R. R. Co., Freight		128.28
American Express Co., Express		.50
H. & L. Express Co., Teaming 1908		5.75
H. & L. Express Co., " 1909		19.90
Union Water Meter Co.,	Supplies	100.80
Nat. Meter Co.,	"	937.16
H. R. Worthington,	"	403.94
Pittsburg Meter Co.,	"	458.40
Thompson Meter Co.,	"	537.60
Neptune Meter Co.,	"	2.30
S. A. Hooper, Stock and Supplies		15.37
P. Cogan & Son, Refund		75.58
W. C. Whitcher,	Supplies	209.29
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	10.67
Sumner & Gerald,	"	285.16
Berry & Ferguson,	"	2.00
J. J. Walsh,	"	.50
Allen Bros.,	"	1.90
W. H. Sprague P. M.,	"	53.10
Dyar Supply Co.,	"	114.12

T. R. McNelly, Stock and Labor		$55.68
W. B. Jones, Surveying		61.50
J. S. Lewis, Printing		16.05
Interest		3,552.50
First Nat. Bank, Bonds		5,000.00
Town of Wakefield, Water		117.49
Chadwick Boston Lead Co., Supplies		121.94
Leadlined Iron Pipe Co.,	"	478.85
Geo. E. Gilchrist Co.,	"	14.87
R. D. Wood & Co.,	"	870.82
C. F. Symonds,	"	2.00
Priest, Sage & Co.,	"	49.94
Waldo Bros.,	"	57.41
Robinson Brockway Mfg. Co.,	"	65.50
J. B. Sanborn,	"	10.00
Smith & Anthony,	"	77.22
Sanitas Mfg. Co.,	"	75.60
H. Mueller Mfg. Co.,	"	111.20
Whittier Printing Co.,	"	25.45
Library Bureau,	"	27.25
A. W. Rice,	"	.75
Crane Co.,	"	32.94
G. W. Blanchard & Co.,	"	4.88
Nat. Paint & Varnish Co.,	"	16.20
Reading Water Dept.,	"	2.66
W. W. Fisk,	"	4.65
Meyer Abrams & Co.,	"	1.50
A B C Grocery Co.,	"	27.50
McKenna Bros.,	"	16.20
W. H. Sprague P, M.,	"	53.10
J. H. Cunningham,	"	4.95
Tenny Morse Co.,	"	9.22
Renssalar Mfg. Co., Valves		200.00
Linchburg Foundry Co.,		41.63
L. L. Gove, Stock and Labor		85.38
B. Perry & Son, "	"	9.00

J. M. Ellis & Sons, Stock and Labor	$15.85	
C. Baldwin, " "	2.41	
C. W. Houghton, " "	3.38	
J. Butler, Supplies . . .	8.75	
G. R. Barnstead, Printing . .	.60	
R. D. Wall, Stock and Labor .	166.75	
Maryland Casualty Co., Insurance .	194.87	
F. E. Nickerson, Registrar . .	200.00	
Met. Water Loan, Sinking Fund .	2,255.76	
" " " Interest . .	6,049.42	
" " " Maintenance .	1,929.23	
Pay Roll	3,312.35	
		$29,020.63

HIGH STREET

Detail of Expenditure

W. B. Jones, Surveying . .	$58.00	
Hayward & Litch Ex. Co., Teaming	14.54	
Pay Roll, Labor . . .	301.62	
		$374.16

SPENCER STREET

Detail of Expenditure

Hayward & Litch Ex. Co., Teaming	$12.14	
Pay Roll, Labor . . .	429.41	
		$441.55

BROADWAY

Detail of Expenditure

W. B. Jones, Surveying . .	$16.00	
W. W. Fisk & Co., Supplies .	4.20	
Hayward & Litch Ex. Co., Teaming	7.50	
		$27.70
		$29,864.04

Keene Street

Appropriation	$500.00
Expended	499.98
Unexpended	.02

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

W. B. Jones, Surveying	$52.00	
Pay Roll, Labor	447.98	
		$499.98

Catch Basins

Appropriation	$150.00
Expended	103.15
Unexpended	$46.85

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Pay Roll, Labor	$103.15	

Main Street Drain

Appropriation	$200.00
Expended	168.13
Unexpended	$31.87

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Waldo Bros.,	$87.38	
Puritan Iron Wks., Supplies	4.85	
B. & M. R. R., Freight	25.99	
W. B. Jones, Surveying	3.00	
Hayward & Litch Ex. Co., Teaming	7.00	
Pay Roll, Labor	39.91	
		$168.13

Concrete

Appropriation	$1,500.00
Expended	1,499.05
Unexpended	.95

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

J. M. Ellis & Co., Stock and Labor $1,499.05

Gilmore Street Concrete

Appropriation	$35.00
Assessment	23.45
	$58.45
Expended	46.90
Unexpended	$11.55

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

J. M. Ellis & Co., Stock and Labor $46.90

Central Street Concrete

Appropriation	$20.00
Assessment	17.75
	$37.75
Expended	40.50
Overdrawn	$2.75

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

J. M. Ellis & Co., Stock and Labor $40.50

Maple Street Concrete

Appropriation	$14.00
Assessment	11.48
	$25.48
Expended	23.95
Unexpended	$1.53

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

J. M. Ellis & Co., Stock and Labor $23.95

Main Street Concrete

Appropriation	$60.00
Assessment	40.08
	$100.08
Expended	80.15
Unexpended	$19.93

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

J. M. Ellis & Co., Stock and Labor $80.15

Montvale Avenue Concrete

Appropriation	$38.50
Assessment	41.50
	$80.00
Expended	83.00
Overdrawn	$3.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

J. M. Ellis & Co., Stock and Labor $83.00

State and County Tax

County Tax		$5,667.75
State Tax		6,615.00
National Bank Tax		231.88
Met. Park, Nantasket Maintenance		62.00
Met. Park Loan, Sink. Fund	$298.93	
" " " Int.	823.09	
" " " Main.	1,063.08	
		2,185.10
" " " Sink. Fund No. 2	$57.41	
" " " Int. No. 2	157.05	
" " " Main.	167.50	
		381.96
Wellington Bridge Sink. Fund	$1,297.22	
" " Int.	73.42	
" " Main.	235.74	
		1,606.38
Met. Sewer Loan Sink. Fund	$628.34	
" " " Int.	2,195.90	
" " " Main.	1,941.82	
		4,766.06
Repairs on State Highways		79.10
		$21,595.20

Watering Streets

Assessment	$369.89
Expended	629.00

Detail of Expenditure

Whittier Printing Co., Advertising	$2.00	
J. W. Holden, Watering	625.00	
C. W. Houghton, Stock and Labor	2.00	
		$629.00

Printing Town Reports

Appropriation	$300.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Whittier Printing Co.,	$300.00

Debt

Appropriation	$7,000.00
Expended	7,000.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

First National Bank	$7,000.00

Notes

Outstanding in anticipation of 1908 Tax	$25,000.00
Given in anticipation of 1909 Tax	80,000.00
	$105,000.00
Paid Notes	75,000.00
Outstanding in anticipation of 1909 Tax	$30,000.00

Interest

Appropriation	$5,809.24
Expended	5,794.59
Unexpended	$14.65

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Loring, Tolman & Tupper	$288.54	
First National Bank, Boston	4,665.83	
Public Library	15.00	
Commonwealth of Mass.	585.22	
Public Library (G. L. W., Dike Fund)	240.00	
		$5,794.59

Rent of Town Offices

Appropriation	$672.00
Received from Co-operative Bank	48.00
Expended	$720.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Charles Buck, Rent	$720.00

Electric Lighting

Appropriation	$4,464.64
Received for Lighting Park Roads	429.96
	$4,894.60
Expended	4,433.45
Unexpended	$461.15

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Edison Electric Ill. Co., Lighting	$4,433.45

Tax Collector's Statement February 7, 1910

	TAX	ST. WATERING	SIDEWALK	GYPSY MOTH	SEWER	UNCOLLECTED
Balance 1902					$36.39	
Paid Treasurer					30.17	
Uncollected					$6.22	$6.22
Balance 1903	$51.06		$1.00		$59.85	
Interest	11.90					
	$62.96					
Abatement	12.18		1.00			
	$50.78					
Paid Treasurer	50.78				27.32	
Uncollected					$32.53	$32.53
Balance 1904	$468.59	.42			$116.73	
Interest	71.30					
	$539.89					
Abatement	186.29					

	$353.60					
Paid Treasurer	267.46	.42			38.83	
Uncollected	$86.14				$77.90	$164.04
Balance 1905	$1,493.62	$2.16			$125.23	
Interest	70.64					
	$1,564.26					
Abatement	326.89					
	$1,237.37					
Paid Treasurer	620.06	2.16			38.85	
Uncollected	$617.31				$86.38	$703.69
Balance 1906	$4,312.74	$7.80	$27.39	$11.44	$233.63	
Interest	206.12					
	$4,518.86					
Abatement	43.01			1.03		
	$4,475.85			$10.41		
Paid Treasurer	2,018.86	1.56		2.18	127.67	
Uncollected	$2,456.99	$6.24	27.39	$8.23	$105.96	$2,604.81

Tax Collector's Statement February 7, 1910

	TAX	ST. WATERING	SIDEWALK	GYPSY MOTH	SEWER	UNCOLLECTED
Balance 1907	$21,017.95	$53.62	$12.00	$310.78	$737.82	
Interest	1,064.09		1.08			
	$22,082.04		$13.08			
Dis. .31						
Abate. 186.60	186.91					
	$21,895.13					
Paid Treasurer	16,977.30	43.70	13.08	214.51	466.23	
Uncollected	$4,917.83	$9.92		$96.27	$271.59	$5,295.61
Balance 1908	$40,490.74	$134.61	$776.22	$514.43	$1,375.20	
Assessment	65.93					
Interest	602.24		2.62			
	$41,158.91		$778.84			
Dis. 4.07						
Abate. 494.97	499.04					
	$40,659.87					
Paid Treasurer	23,905.84	83.93	438.16	380.25	780.59	

Uncollected	$16,754.03	$50.68	$340.68	$134.18	$594.61	$17,874.18
Assessm't 1909	$108,444.27	$369.89	$1,003.58	$1,233.58	$2,966.65	
Interest	3.03					
	$108,447.30					
Dis. 645.87						
Abate. 1,559.86	2,205.73					
	$106,241.57					
Paid Treasurer	66,535.43	262.50		$764.65	1,609.27	
Uncollected	$39,706.14	$107.39	1,003.58	$463.93	$1,357.38	$42,643.42
						$69,324.50

Treasurer's Statement

	REGULAR	SEWER	WATER
Balance Feb. 1909	$4,754.33	$1,722.77	$13,330.91
Received	222,877.60	12,278.89	26,826.28
	$227,631.93	$14,001.66	$40,157.19
Less Abatements	2,809.80		
	$224,822.13		
Paid	211,504.02	4,796.32	29,864.04
Balance Feb. 7, 1910	$13,318.11	$9,205.34	$10,293.15
Cash	$287.03	$117.12	$246.19
Dep. Stone. Nat. Bank	7,150.74	8,145.23	9,782.04
Bills paid 1910	3,880.34	942.99	264.92
	$11,318.11	$9,205.34	$10,293.15
G. L. W. Dike Fund	2,000.00	Dep. Stone. 5c Sav. Bk.	

F. E. Nickerson, Water Registrar

Water Warrants, June and December, 1909	$23,872.11
Collections, Paid to Treasurer	$23,872.11

Auditors' Report

We, the undersigned, have examined the accounts of F. E. Nickerson, Treasurer and Water Registrar, and S. A. Lawrence, Collector, and find them correct as stated. We have counted the cash and verified the bank deposits by statements from the Stoneham National Bank and Stoneham Five Cent Savings Bank.

FRED H. CHASE,
THOMAS S. IRELAND,
Auditors.

February 7, 1910.

Town Treasurer's Report

Cash Account

DR.

Feb. 6, 1909.	Balance on hand in Bank	$1,076.86	
	Balance on hand in Cash	144.34	
	Balance on hand in Bills Paid	3,533.13	
			$4,754.33
Received	Almhouse and Farm		2,561.78
"	State, Cities and Towns, Account Poor		833.02
"	Mrs. John Magner, Aid Refunded		8.00
"	John R. Boyce, Aid Refunded		3.75
"	Armory Rentals		1,389.45
"	State, account Armory		900.00
"	Lindenwood Cemetery, Sale of Lots		373.00
"	" " " " Grass		70.00
"	" " Care of Lots		896.50
"	" " Foundations		233.75
"	" " Repairs to Lots		222.80
"	" " Opening Graves		317.00
"	" " Sale of Wood, Etc.		67.00
"	" " Dec. Soldiers' Graves		30.50
"	" " Perpetual Care		806.00
"	" " Fence, Cement & Paint		30.50
"	" " Sale Old Iron Fence		23.79
"	Public Library, Fines and Catalogues		93.00
"	" " " Interest on Note		15.00
"	" " " " Dike Fund		85.00
"	" " Dog Licenses and Fees		430.45
"	R. L. Bowser Ex., Per. Care Lot 173		125.00
"	Eva W. Blake, " " " 1075		50.00
"	Janette L. Hadley, " " " 909		50.00
"	J. W. Spencer, " " " 100		100.00
"	F. E. Nickerson, Adm. " " " 1023		200.00
"	Mrs. S. D. Farrar, " " " 263		125.00
"	John Johnston, " " " 1078		50.00

Received	L. F. Brown,	Per. Care Lot 809–10	$150.00
"	Ione Keene,	" " " 1203	100.00
"	L. V. Chandler,	" " " 262	100.00
"	Rebecca S. Spiller,	" " " 480	100.00
"	Maria Williams,	" " " 1058	50.00
"	Annie E. Whittier,	" " " 537	100.00
"	Eliza A. Brown,	" " " 281	100.00
"	A. S. Horne,	" " " 463	100.00
"	Jas. F. Brennen, Ex.,	" " " 62	100.00
"	F. P. Harris,	" " " 710	100.00
"	Stoneham National Bank, Interest		86.98
"	State, for Corporation Tax		2,667.35
"	" " Lighting Park Roads		429.96
"	" " Taxes on Spot Pond Land		1,023.52
"	" " National Bank Tax		86.37
"	L. A. Loomis, Release Tax Titles		42.17
"	G. W. Johnson, " " "		40.83
"	H. F. Nelson, " " "		53.60
"	Jas. Meade, " " "		13.21
"	C. F. Hayward, Town Scales Fee 1908		18.22
"	I. Maller, Peddler's License		12.00
"	Max Pollock, " "		12.00
"	M. Levine, Junk License		25.00
"	I. Horovitz, " "		25.00
"	A. Junkins, Swine License		.50
"	C. H. Arnold, " "		.50
"	W. C. Whitcher, " "		.50
"	J. E. Finnegan, " "		.50
"	Wm. Munn, " "		.50
"	A. L. Knapp, " "		.50
"	F. G. Wiley, " "		.50
"	M. W. Downs, " "		.50
"	W. B. Parker, " "		.50
"	Annie H. Brown, " "		.50
"	T. R. Symmes, " "		.50
"	A. W. Outram, " "		.50
"	F. L. Bournevale, " "		.50
"	O. Lewande, Circus License		5.00
"	W. P. Flanders, Merry-go-Round License		5.00
"	W. J. Harris, Pool License		2.00
"	C. O. Russell, " "		2.00
"	E. B. Wright, " "		4.00
"	F. H. Tuttle, " "		6.00

Received	American Exp. Co., Transportation License	$1.00
"	H. & L. Exp. Co., " "	1.00
"	W. D. Maguire, Auctioneer's License	2.00
"	John Lahey, " "	2.00
"	John Best, " "	2.00
"	C. F. Smith, " "	2.00
"	F. G. Wiley, Butcher's License	1.00
"	W. Valler, Plumber's License	.50
"	E. O'Donnell, " "	.50
"	H. Morey, " "	.50
"	D. F. Boyle, " "	.50
"	J. H. Reynolds, " "	2.00
"	C. W. Houghton, " "	2.00
"	G. N. Green, Marriage Licenses	75.00
"	" " Milk Licenses	27.00
"	" " Recording Mortgages	34.25
"	" " " Assignments	1.75
"	" " Copies of Records	2.75
"	G. B. Williams, Sealer's Fees	39.14
"	State, Sealer's Fees	3.51
"	Town of Winchester, Recording Fees	3.00
"	Stand. Oil Co. of N. Y., " "	.50
"	C. F. Hayward, Town Scale's Fees, 1909	18.38
"	G. M. Jefts, Sale of Empty Bbls.	7.00
"	State, Moth Suppression	2,637.99
"	" Private Work Moth Suppression	120.37
"	" Street Ry. Franchise Tax	1,433.62
"	L. L. Gove, Stone, Cottage St. Drain	15.00
"	Boston & Northern St. Ry., Use Steam Roller	31.25
"	" " " " Excise Tax	1,285.36
"	" " " " " Rep. Catch Basins	5.79
"	Town of Reading, Acct. Soldiers' Relief	80.00
"	State, Burial Soldiers	259.00
"	Loring, Tolman & Tupper, Sale of Notes	20,000.00
"	First Nat'l Bank, Boston, " " "	30,000.00
"	State Treasurer, " " "	30,000.00
"	A. E. Gage, Clerk 4th Dist. Court, Fines	205.00
"	Stoneham Cooperative Bank, Rent	48.00
"	City of Boston, Tuition, Schools	17.00
"	State, Tuition, Schools	207.50
"	Mrs. G. H. Berry, Tuition Schools	12.50
"	E. L. Fuller, Tuition, Schools	12.50
"	Sales of Materials, Books, Etc., Schools	24.78

Received	J. Thornton, State Aid Returned		$6.00
"	State, State Aid		4,987.00
"	State, Military Aid		208.50
"	S. A. Lawrence, Col.	1903 Tax	38.88
"	" " "	1903 Interest	11.90
"	" " "	1903 Sidewalk	1.00
"	" " "	1903 Abatement	12.18
"	" " "	1904 Tax	196.16
"	" " "	1904 Interest	71.30
"	" " "	1904 Street Water	.42
"	" " "	1904 Abatement	186.29
"	" " "	1905 Tax	549.42
"	" " "	1905 Interest	70.64
"	" " "	1905 Street Water	2.16
"	" " "	1905 Abatement	326.89
"	" " "	1906 Tax	1,812.74
"	" " "	1906 Interest	202.16
"	" " "	1906 Moth	3.21
"	" " "	1906 Street Water	1.56
"	" " "	1906 Abatement	43.01
"	" " "	1907 Tax	15,913.21
"	" " "	1907 Interest	1,064.09
"	" " "	1907 Moth	216.49
"	" " "	1907 Street Water	41.72
"	" " "	1907 Sidewalk	12.00
"	" " "	1907 Interest	1.08
"	" " "	1907 Abatement	186.60
"	" " "	1908 Tax	23,303.60
"	" " "	1908 Interest	602.24
"	" " "	1908 Moth	380.25
"	" " "	1908 Street Water	83.93
"	" " "	1908 Sidewalk	435.54
"	" " "	1908 Interest	2.62
"	" " "	1908 Abatement	494.97
"	" " "	1909 Tax	66,532.40
"	" " "	1909 Interest	3.03
"	" " "	1909 Moth	764.65
"	" " "	1909 Street Water	262.50
"	" " "	1909 Abatement	1,559.86
Total Receipts			$227,631.93

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Bills paid as per Auditors' Report		$211,504.02
Balance Deposited in Stoneham Nat'l Bank	$7,150.74	
Balance Deposited in Stoneham Savings Bank	2,000.00	
Balance in 1910 Bills Paid	3,880.34	
Balance Cash on Hand	287.03	
		$13,318.11
Balance in Abatements		2,809.80
Total Receipts		$227,631.93

Sewer Account

DR.

Feb. 10, 1909. Balance Cash in Bank	$1,594.39	
Balance Cash on Hand	82.49	
Balance Cash in Bills Paid	45.89	
		$1,722.77
Received Interest, Stoneham National Bank		19.91
" Town for Maintenance		1,500.00
" M. Murray, Pipe		1.05
" G. E. Carter, H. C. 623		7.35
" P. Doucette, " 701		19.68
" J. and E. Doherty, " 698		30.76
" J. A. Stockwell, " 702		25.76
" J. G. Bryant, " 703		24.76
" W. H. Hatch, " 708		31.08
" E. L. Patch Co., " 709		16.95
" A. L. Newhall, " 700		26.63
" T. F. Halpin, " 699		29.95
" C. L. Beard, " 715		23.91
" M. Murray, " 710		40.67
" A. Richardson, " 705		27.96
" A. Johonnot, " 726		22.02
" A. M. Price, " 721		22.69
" C. A. Shaw, " 716		31.34
" M. W. Newhall, " 724		35.58
" A. H. Lufkin, " 711		24.35
" W. L. Crane, " 714		31.03
" A. G. Hill, " 704		45.39
" E. J. Black, " 741		33.29
" A. H. Brown, " 745		28.98

Received E. Devlin,	H. C. 735		$29.84
" C. Baldwin,	" 718		29.60
" M. M. Kollock,	" 730		22.11
" M. W. Woods,	" 744		16.55
" W. N. Folsom, Agt.,	" 728		23.73
" W. H. White,	" 734		19.36
" Vera Chemical Co.,	" 722		77.22
" S. E. Smyth,	" 719		20.83
" W. N. Gray,	" 706		25.32
" W. N. Gray,	" 707		29.99
" W. E. Jewett,	" 732		21.89
" M. H. Wilkins,	" 738		36.92
" C. W. Tidd,	" 729		11.17
" S. H. Green,	" 737		23.98
" St. Patrick's Church	" 742		47.81
" E. M. Smith,	" 740		22.23
" W. H. Sprague,	" 720		22.90
" T. F. McDermott,	" 731		18.74
" A. J. Elliott, on acct.	" 697		20.00
" S. N. Lovejoy, " "	" 739		30.48
" A. P. L. Lehman, "	" 717		25.00
" J. M. Ellis & Sons "	" 725		36.00
" A. L. Hill, "	" 736		33.00
" For Bonds 132-33-34-35-36-37			6,000.00
" Premiums on same at 106.77			406.20
" Accrued Interest on same			8.00
" S. A. Lawrence, Col.	1902 Assessment		30.17
" " " "	1903 "		27.32
" " " "	1904 "		38.83
" " " "	1905 "		38.85
" " " "	1906 "		127.67
" " " "	1907 "		466.23
" " " "	1908 "		780.59
" " " "	1909 "		1,609.27
Total Receipts			$14,001.66

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Bills Paid Maintenance	$1,501.39	
Bills Paid Construction	1,291.38	
Bills Paid Pond Street	847.88	
Bills Paid Central Street	326.64	
Bills Paid Franklin Street	829.03	
		$4,796.32

Balance in Stoneham Nat'l Bank	$8,145.23	
Balance in Cash	117.12	
Balance in Bills 1910 Paid	942.99	
		$9,205.34
		$14,001.66

Water Account

Jan. 25, 1909. Balance in Bank	$12,840.51	
" " Balance on Hand	490.40	
		$13,330.91
Received June 1909 Water Rates		$11,129.88
" Interest Stoneham National Bank		136.85
" Sumner & Gerald, Mdse. Returned		.99
" Stone & Forsyth, Repairs		10.00
" I. Horovitz, Junk		6.03
" Accrued Interest on Bonds Sold		9.33
" December 1909 Water Rates		12,742.23
" Sale of Bonds 141-42		2,000.00
" Premiums on same at 106.77		135.40
" For Relays, New Services, Pipe & Lab.		655.57
		$40,157.19
Paid as per Auditors' Report, Construction	$4,210.37	
Paid as per Auditors' Report, Maintenance	25,653.67	
Balance in Bank	9,782.04	
Balance in Cash	246.19	
Balance in 1910 Bills Paid	264.92	
		$40,157.19

Bow Street Court Gravel Pit

As per instructions from the town at the annual meeting, I duly advertised the sale of the Bow street court gravel pit at public auction by an advertisement in a local paper, and notices of same were also mailed to all parties thought to be interested. At the time of the sale, bids were called for, and none were offered. There being no person interested enough to make a bid at the auction, and as no authority was given under the vote to sell at private sale, all further action was postponed.

G. L. W. Dike Library Trust Fund

Amount of Principal		$2,000.00
Interest to Jan. 13, 1910		240.00
		$2,240.00
Interest Paid to Trustees of Library		240.00
Amount of Principal		$2,000.00
Dep. in Stoneham 5cts Sav. Bank, Book 11834	$1,000.00	
" " " " " " " 11835	1,000.00	
		$2,000.00

Town of Stoneham, Perpetual Care Fund Linden-wood Cemetery

(Omitted from Bills of 1907-1908)

NAME AND LOT NO.	DEPOSIT	YEAR	AMOUNT
Dewhurst, J. W., 525	$100 00	1907	$3 00
Drew, C. H., 879-80	100 00	1907	3 00
Cloutman, F., 435	100 00	1907	3 00
Jennings, S. W., 894	100 00	1907	3 00
Emerson, C., 270	50 00	1907	1 50
Howard, J. F., 462	100 00	1907	3 00
Tuckett, J. T., 952	100 00	1908	3 00
Brown, Dr. W. S., 181-2	100 00	1908	3 00
Willey, M., 1302	200 00	1908	6 00
Burdick, E. J. G., 125	100 00	1908	3 00
Richardson, L. P., 338-9	100 00	1908	3 00
Dike, C. C., 244-5	200 00	1908	6 00
Steele, J., 191-2-3-4, 308-9-10-11	400 00	1908	12 00
Chamberlain, C. M., 1076	50 00	1908	1 50
Cloutman, E., 66	100 00	1908	3 00
Robbins, R. H., 698	75 00	1908	2 00
Howard, F. C., 697	75 00	1908	2 00
Chick & Berry, 1231-2	150 00	1908	4 00
Tibbetts, Elizabeth, 1019	50 00	1908	1 50
			$66 50

Town of Stoneham, Perpetual Care Fund, Lindenwood Cemetery

NAME AND LOT NO.	DEPOSIT	AN. CARE	FLOWERS	WATER	DRESSING	REPAIRS	AMOUNT
Allen, John, 377	$100 00	$3 00		$1 00	$1 00		$5 00
Ayer & Dow, 440-1	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Bowman & Parker, 110	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Best, John, 488-9	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Baldwin, M. B., 496	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Boyce, Climina, 854	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Byron, W. D., 701	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	$1 00	6 00
Beard, Padilla, 448-9	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Bancroft & Chater, 57	100 00	3 00	$1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	7 00
Blaisdell, Mary, 327	300 00	4 00	3 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	10 00
Babb, William, 427	50 00	1 50		1 00	1 00	1 00	4 50
Badger, Kate L., 217	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Bucknam, Stephen, 558	100 00	3 00		1 00		5 00	9 00
Brown, Rebecca, 531	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Berry & Chick, 1231-2	150 00	4 00		1 00			5 00
Brown, Dr. W. S., 181-2	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Burdick, E. J. G., 125	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Cowdrey, Eleanor S., 102	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Curtis, Jesse, 572-3	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Clay, S. J., 202	75 00	1 50		1 00	1 00		3 50
Carbee, Dora, 1239	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Cloutman, Frank, 435	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00

Town of Stoneham, Perpetual Care Fund, Lindenwood Cemetery

NAME AND LOT NO.	DEPOSIT	AN. CARE	FLOWERS	WATER	DRESSING	REPAIRS	AMOUNT
Chamberlain, Grace, 1076	$50 00	$1 50		$1 00			$2 50
Cloutman, Eliphalet, 66	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Drew, C. H., 880	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Dike & Colley, 227-8	150 00	4 00		1 00	$1 00		6 00
Dike, C. C., 244-5-9-50-1	200 00	6 00	$1 00	1 00	1 00	$1 00	10 00
Dike, G. W., 271-2	192 00	6 00		2 00	3 00		11 00
Dike, Henry, 225-6	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Dike, G. L. W., 248, 252-3	200 00	6 00		2 00	3 00		11 00
Dike, Hosea & Lyon, 247	200 00	6 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	3 00	16 00
Dale, Matilda, 322-B	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Danforth, Wm., 417	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Durkee, T. G., 673-4	200 00	6 00	1 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	13 00
Dewhurst, J. W., 529	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Emerson, A. H. & L., 270	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Eastman, J. H., 522	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Fay, Jerome, 55-6	200 00	6 00	1 00	1 00	6 00		14 00
Farrier, Amasa, 96-7, 84-5	300 00	8 00	2 00	2 00	2 00		14 00
Freeman, Lena, 442	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Farrar & Barnes, 273	125 00	3 00	1 00	1 00			5 00
Green, N. W., 1030	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Goodness, C. A., 887	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Gerry, Elbridge, 312-3	100 00	3 00		1 00	2 00	1 00	7 00

Gallety, Wm., 1213	100 00	3 00		1 00	3 00	1 00	8 00
Gerry, Arad, 571-2	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Green, Stephen, 945	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Green, Perley, 347	50 00	1 50		1 00		1 00	3 50
Gilmore, Onslow, 881-2	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Gerry, Ira, A	300 00	8 00	1 50	2 00	2 00		13 50
Herrick, Henry, 65	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Howard, Fred, 697	75 00	2 00		1 00			3 00
Howard, J., 432	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Hersam, Isaac, 443-4	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hersam, A. & R., 728-9	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hersam, Orin, 578-9	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	2 00	7 00
Hall, C. T. A., 149	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Hawkins, Edward, 120	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	2 00	7 00
Howe & Taylor, 63	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hildreth, S. K., 73	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Hill & Messer, 939	50 00	1 50		1 00	1 00	2 00	5 50
Hayes, Watson A., 744	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Huntoon, Oscar, 497	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Hill, Aaron, 636-7	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Hanscome, Joseph, 318	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hopkins, Nathan, 286	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hodgden, Mary, 1023	200 00	4 00	3 00	1 00			8 00
Horne, Richard, 1210	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Hayes, Wm., 213	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Jennings, S. W., 894	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Johnson, Clara C., 616	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50

Town of Stoneham, Perpetual Care Fund, Lindenwood Cemetery

NAME AND LOT NO.	DEPOSIT	AN. CARE	FLOWERS	WATER	DRESSING	REPAIRS	AMOUNT
Jones, H. H., 457	$100 00	$3 00		$1 00			$4 00
Lawrence, E. B., 867	100 00	3 00		1 00	$1 00	1 00	6 00
Loud, N., 914	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Lewis, Mary, 861	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Lovejoy, J. A., 633	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Lombard, David, 660	50 00	1 50		1 00	1 00	1 00	4 50
Manning, Ann E., 1237	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	2 00	7 00
Melvin, C. B., 174-5	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Newhall, G. W., 1233	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Pierce, E. W., 472	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Pierce, J. D., 1204	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	6 00
Putney, G. H., 533	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	2 00	7 00
Pinkham, Susan C., 557	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	2 00	7 00
Parmenter, E. T., 1245	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Robbins, R. H., 698	75 00	2 00		1 00			3 00
Richardson, Lucinda, 338-9	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Richardson, Osborn, 280	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Richardson, M. I., 433-4	200 00	6 00		2 00	2 00		10 00
Richardson, Thad., 430-1	200 00	6 00		2 00		5 00	13 00
Richardson & Willey, 418	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Skinner & Millikin, 284	100 00	3 00		1 00	2 00	8 00	14 00
Stone, Chas., 90	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00

Stevens Darius, 387	50 00	1 50		1 00		5 00	7 50
Sprague & Hopkins, 830	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Shurborn, F., 897, 808	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Snow, W. B., 799	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Steele, John, 191-2-3-4, 308-9-11	400 00	12 00		4 00			16 00
Tucket, John T., 952	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Theobald, Jos., 1229	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Tilton, Lucinda F., 82	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00	4 00	9 00
Taylor, Seth E., 617	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Tredick, Chas., 680	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Tredick, A. H., 267	200 00	6 00		1 00	2 00		9 00
Thorp, Elbridge, 659	100 00	3 00		1 00		5 00	9 00
Turner, F. P., 711	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Thompson, P. C., 942	100 00	3 00		1 00		5 00	9 00
Thompson & Wilsey, 155	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Tibbetts, Susan, 478	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Tibbetts, Elizabeth, 1019	50 00	1 50		1 00			2 50
Valler, M. H., 1036	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Vickery, M. S., 570A	100 00	3 00		1 00			4 00
Whittier, E. T., 176	150 00	4 00		1 00	6 00	5 00	16 00
Whittier, F. L., 828	100 00	3 00		1 00	2 00		6 00
Williams, Micah, 1058	150 00	4 00		2 00	6 00	2 00	14 00
Willey, Mary, 1302	200 00	6 00		2 00			8 00
Wright, G. E., 899	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Willey, H. P., 124	100 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		5 00
Weed, Samuel, 295	60 00	2 00		1 00	1 00	5 00	9 00
		$391 00	$15 50	$132 00	$110 00	$90 00	$739 50

Appropriations, Receipts, Expenditures and Balances

Account	Appro.	Receipts	Expend.	Unexpend.	Overdrawn
Almshouse		$2 561 78	$4 680 83		
Poor	$5 216 56	844 77	3 096 74	$875 54	
Armory		2 289 45	2 225 85	63 60	
Moths	2 010 93	2 644 99	4 352 76	303 16	
Moths Private	Assessment	1 484 97	1 542 25		
Lighting	4 464 64	429 96	4 433 45	461 15	
Rent	672 00	48 00	720 00		
Military Aid	150 00	208 50	192 00	166 50	
State		4 993 00	4 950 00	43 00	
Highways	7 500 00	1 485 66	8 965 97	19 69	
Town Debt	7 000 00		7 000 00		
Notes			75 000 00		
Interest	5 809 24		5 794 59	14 65	
Lindenwood Cemetery	280 68	3 046 55	2 567 71	759 52	
Old Cemetery	35 00		26 83	8 17	
Breaking Snow	1 072 36		1 437 17		*$364 81
Street Water	Assessment		629 00		
Miscellaneous	3 027 77	149 81	3 087 38	90 20	
Police	3 100 00		3 096 08	3 92	
Schools	32 500 00	274 28	32 769 56	4 72	
School Physician	61 00		52 00	9 00	
Fire Department	5 000 09		4 967 98	32 02	
Soldiers' Relief	2 938 77	339 00	2 804 84	472 93	
Printing	300 00		300 00		
Shade Trees	200 00		199 72	28	
Decorating Soldiers' Graves	375 00		373 25	1 75	
Auditors	300 00		300 00		

Overseers of Poor	400 00		400 00	
Board of Health	175 00		175 00	
Assessors	900 00		900 00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	100 00		100 00	
Selectmen	300 00		300 00	
Tax Collector	650 00		650 00	
Inspector of Plumbing	300 00		300 00	
Registrars of Voters	125 00		125 00	
Janitor	150 00		150 00	
Town Clerk	700 00		700 00	
Moderator	25 00		25 00	
Town Treasurer	500 00		500 00	
Board of Public Works	300 00		500 00	
Clerk of Board of Public Works	300 00		300 00	
Library	1 700 00	623 45	2 322 62	83
Board of Health Use	300 00		300 00	
Street Railings	500 00		459 51	40 49
Concrete Repairs	1 500 00		1 499 05	95
Concrete Sidewalks	167 50	134 26	274 50	27 26
Catch Basins Pine Street	150 00		103 15	46 85
Sewer Maintenance	1 500 00		1 500 00	
Keene Street	500 00		499 98	02
Hose	550 00		550 00	
Fire Alarm Box	85 00		81 30	3 70
Lindenwood Cemetery Fence	615 00	23 79	638 12	67
By-Laws	250 00		245 50	4 50
Blenkhorn Drain	200 00		168 13	31 87
County Tax	5 667 72		5 667 72	
State Tax	15 927 48		15 927 48	
Perpetual Care of Lots	Fund		806 00	
			$211 504 02	

* $311.92 due from Boston & Northern Street Railway for Breaking Snow

Cemetery Trust Fund

The town holds 135 deposits aggregating the sum of $14,802.20, the income of which is expended (to a limit of five per cent) in the care of the several lots in Lindenwood Cemetery, as per the schedule in this report. This Fund is used by the town, as is the usual custom among towns in the state, in the general course of its business, thus avoiding a note in anticipation of taxes, and has proven an extremely valuable asset, particularly in times of financial distress and high money rates.

Its safety is secured by all uncollected taxes of the town against which there are no outstanding notes, amounting generally to $40,000 or $50,000 at the close of each year.

Demands on Interest

Date	To Whom Given	Purpose of Issue	Rate	Amount	Due
Oct. 27, 1909	Bearer	Antic. of Taxes	4	$10 000	April 27, 1910
Nov. 10, 1909	"	"	4	10 000	May 10, 1910
Dec. 22, 1909	"	"	4½	10 000	May 23, 1910
June 14, 1892	Stoneham Public Library	Library	6	100	Demand
June 1, 1896	Bearer	Sewer	4	4 000	June 1, 1910
"	"	"	4	4 000	" 1911
"	"	"	4	4 000	" 1912
"	"	"	4	4 000	" 1913
"	"	"	4	4 000	" 1914
"	"	"	4	4 000	" 1915
"	"	"	4	4 000	" 1916
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1917
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1918
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1919
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1920
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1921
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1922
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1923
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1924
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1925
"	"	"	4	5 000	" 1926
June 1, 1908	"	"	4	5 000	" 1927
"	"	"	4	2 000	" 1928
April 1, 1901	"	New High School	3½	3 000	April 1, 1910
"	"	"	3½	3 000	" 1911
"	"	"	3½	3 000	" 1912
"	"	"	3½	3 000	" 1913

"	"	"	3½	3 000	"	1914
"	"	"	3½	3 000	"	1915
"	"	"	3½	3 000	"	1916
"	"	"	3½	3 000	"	1917
"	"	"	3½	3 000	"	1918
"	"	"	3½	2 000	"	1919
May 1, 1901	"	Water	3½	5 000	May 1,	1910
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1911
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1912
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1913
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1914
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1915
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1916
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1917
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1918
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1919
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1920
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1921
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1922
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1923
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1924
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1925
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1926
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1927
"	"	"	3½	5 000	"	1928
"	"	"	3½	4 000	"	1929
May 1, 1908	"	"	4	2 000	"	1930
				$245 100		

Amount of Indebtedness

Amount of Indebtedness as per this Report		$245,100.00
Due from Uncollected Taxes	$69,324.50	
Cash and Paid Bills, Regular Department	4,167.37	
Cash and Paid Bills, Water Department	511.11	
Cash and Paid Bills, Sewer Department	1,060.11	
Cash in Bank, Regular Department	7,150.74	
Cash in Bank, Water Department	9,782.04	
Cash in Bank, Sewer Department	8,145.23	
Water Plant, Self Supporting	101,000.00	
		$201,141.10
Net Balance against Town 1910		$43,958.90
If to this we add Cemetery Trust Funds		14,802.20
Makes a Total of		$58,761.10
Against Corresponding Amount for 1909 of		60,919.37
Amount of Indebtedness for 1909 report		$244,100.00
Of which the following have been paid:		
April 18, 1909. Anticipation of Taxes.	$10,000.00	
May 18, 1909. Anticipation of Taxes	10.000.00	
June 29, 1909. Anticipation of Taxes	5,000.00	
April 1, 1909. School Bonds	3,000.00	
May 1, 1909. Water Bonds	5,000.00	
June 1, 1909. Sewer Bonds	4,000.00	
		$37,000.00
		$207.100.00
Following are new loans, viz:		
*Due April 27, 1910, Anticipation Taxes	$10,000.00	
*Due May 10, 1910, Anticipation Taxes	10,000.00	
*Due May 23, 1910, Anticipation Taxes	10,000.00	
†Due May 1, 1930, Water Bonds	2,000.00	
‡Due June 1, 1927, Sewer Bonds	4,000.00	
†Due June 1, 1928, Sewer Bonds	2,000.00	
		$38,000.00
Amount of Present List		$245,100.00

Divided as follows, viz:

Anticipation of Taxes	$30,000.00	
Library	100.00	
New High School	29,000.00	
Water	101,000.00	
Sewer	85,000.00	
		$245,100.00

Bonds unsold:

Water 3½s Issue of 1901. One

Water 4s Issue of 1908, Eight

Sewer 4s Issue of 1908, Three

I would recommend the following appropriations for 1910, viz:

Payment of Interest	$5,700.00
Payment of Debt (School and Sewer)	7,000.00

*For authority see vote March 12, 1909, in Town Clerk's report.

†For authority see vote March 19, 1909, in Town Clerk's report.

‡For authority see vote September 1, 1909, in Town Clerk's report.

Respectfully submitted,

F. E. NICKERSON, Treasurer.

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
MIDDLESEX, SS.

To Sumner H. Green, or either of the Constables of the Town of Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex. GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Stoneham, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in Armory Hall in said town on

Monday, the Seventh Day of March

A. D. 1910, at five o'clock and forty-five minutes in the forenoon, to act on the following articles of this warrant:

ARTICLE 1. To choose by ballot, a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose a Town Treasurer, three Selectmen, three Overseers of the Poor, three Constables, two Auditors, a Tax Collector, and a Tree Warden, all for one year; also one Assessor, one Commissioner of Public Works, one member of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, one Park Commissioner, and two Trustees of the Public Library, all for three years; also one Trustee of Lindenwood Cemetery for five years; also to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?" all on one ballot, in accordance with the votes of the town and the Revised Laws of Massachusetts.

The polls will be opened under the foregoing articles at five o'clock and forty-five minutes in the forenoon, and may be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon, and to choose Committees.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the year ensuing, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs and decoration of Soldiers' graves for the year ensuing.

ART. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of books, and for the support of the Free Public Library and Reading Room for the year ensuing.

ART. 8. To see in what manner the town will appropriate the money received for the licenses of dogs.

ART. 9. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer to hire money for the use of the town, under the direction of the Selectmen.

ART. 10. To see what action the town will take in reference to registrations of its notes given for money borrowed in anticipation of taxes.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to pay the premium on the bond of the Town Treasurer, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the town will authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which the Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to grant the free use of Armory Hall to Post 75, G. A. R., six evenings in the coming year when not otherwise engaged.

ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to grant the free use of Armory Hall to Leon E. Warren Camp 31, S. W. V., five evenings in the coming year when not otherwise engaged.

ART. 15. To see if the town will vote to grant the free use of Armory Hall to the High School Alumni Association one evening in the coming year when not otherwise engaged.

ART. 16. To see if the town will vote to grant the free use of Armory Hall to the Stoneham High School Cadets two evenings in the coming year when not otherwise engaged.

ART. 17. To see if the town will vote to fix the time for allowing discount on taxes, and also fix the time when uncollected taxes shall

go on interest; fix the rate of discount to be allowed, and rate of interest to be charged, and take such other action as may be necessary in relation to the same.

ART. 18. To see if the town will vote to water the streets of the town, or any of them, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 19. To see if the town will vote to purchase a lot of land for a public dump, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for the collection of ashes and garbage in the town the present year, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 21. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars, under authority of Chapter 49, Revised Laws, said sum to be at the disposal of the Board of Health to make sewer connections.

ART. 22. To see if it is the sense of the voters of the town, that no person or persons be granted permits to keep more than five swine within one mile of Central Square, within the town limits.

ART. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to cover the expense incurred by the recent small-pox outbreak in the town, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 24. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars for the necessary expenses of the Board of Health for the ensuing year.

ART. 25. To see if the town will vote to place a fire alarm box at or near the entrance to the Town Farm on Elm street and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 26. To see if the town will vote to purchase the lot of land adjoining the land of the town farm on the east, said lot containing about three and one-half acres, and owned by William D. Brackett; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 27. To see if the town will vote to have the buildings on the town farm wired for electricity at a cost not to exceed four hundred dollars, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 28. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer to sell the lot of land owned by the town at the corner of High street and Broadway, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 29. To see if the town will vote to purchase some suitable plot of land to be used as a public playground; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 30. To see if the town will vote to take or purchase for school purposes, a lot of land on or near Franklin street, near the Melrose-Stoneham line; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the town will vote to build a four room schoolhouse on or near Franklin street, near the Melrose-Stoneham line, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 32. To see if the town will vote to set out Maple shade trees on Rockland and Perkins streets, and on North avenue west of Harrison street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the town will vote to construct a catch basin on North avenue, opposite the residence of Mr. Plummer, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 34. To see if the town will vote to construct a sewer in and through Perkins street, from North avenue to Rockland street, raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of sewer bonds or otherwise, pass any vote or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 35. To see if the town will vote to extend the sewer in and through Pond street, from its present terminus near the residence of Mary W. Wood, southerly for a distance of 170 feet, raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of sewer bonds or otherwise, pass any vote or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the town will vote to construct a sewer in and through Gould street, from Pleasant street easterly to Highland avenue, raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of sewer bonds or otherwise, pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

ABT. 37. To see if the town will vote to construct a sewer in and through Washington street, from Pomeworth street northerly to Tremont street, raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of sewer bonds or otherwise, pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 38. To see if the town will vote to cover the public drain leading from Wright street court northerly to Hersam street, make an appropriotion for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 39. To see if the town will vote to accept as a public town way, the private way now known as Plaza avenue, as laid out by the Selectmen, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 40. To see if the town will vote to lay a water main in and

through Broadway, from the present main therein near the residence of Mrs. Mary Doyle, easterly for a distance of about 100 feet, to a point near the residence of Nettie Lahey, raise and appropriate money therefor by sale of water bonds or otherwise, pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 41. To see if the town will vote to repair Elm street, from the Wakefield town line to Main street with macadam or other material, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 42. To see if the town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on Maple and Warren streets, abutting the Public Library lot, and set edgestones thereon, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 43. To see if the town will vote to install incandescent electric lights as follows: One on Bow street near the house of Reuben Locke Jr.; one on Collincote street near the brook at land of L. A. Blaisdell; one on Summer street near front entrance of house of Helen A. Hutchinson; two on Keene street, one near house of Minnie Daniels, and one near house of Annie E. Whittier; one on West Hancock street; one on Cedar avenue near house of Benj. J. Hinds; one on Chestnut street; one on Rafferty street near house of Bridget Peacock; and one on Collincote street near the residence of Joseph Brown; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 44. To see if the town will vote to establish a business course in the High School, consisting of stenography, bookkeeping and typewriting, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 45. To see if the town will vote to construct a sidewalk on the southerly side of Broadway, from High street to Main street, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 46. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred and eleven dollars to reimburse Wesley N. Gray for laying a large drain pipe and building one man-hole in the brook through his land, from Park road south of Marble street, for a distance of 280 feet, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 47. To see if the town will pay Sidney A. Hill, administrator of the estate of Hannah Hill, the sum of two hundred ninety-five dollars and eighty-one cents ($295.81), to recompense the said estate for taxes erroneously collected from the said Hannah Hill and from her administrator, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 48. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to petition the Legislature for authority to pay Mrs. Alma Johonnot the sum of thirty-nine dollars and ninety-eight cents ($39.98), being the amount of taxes paid by her from 1882 to 1905 inclusive, on land she did not own.

ART. 49. To see if the town will vote to repair the culvert crossing Waverly street adjacent to land of L. A. Blaisdell, and rebuild the drain leading from said culvert across land of said Blaisdell; make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 50. To see if the town will vote to repair the sidewalk on the westerly side of Congress street, from Everett street to Marble street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 51. To see if the town will vote to accept that portion of Section 37 of Chapter 19 of the Revised Laws as applies to the police force of towns; said Chapter being entitled "Of the Civil Service."

ART. 52. To see if the town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on the easterly side of Wright street, between Hersam street and Minot street, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 53. To see if the town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on the southerly side of Montvale avenue, from Chestnut street easterly to Rafferty street, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 54. To see if the town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on the westerly side of Warren street, from Winthrop square to Hancock street, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 55. To see if the town will pass resolutions in favor of Massachusetts College, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 56. To see if the town will vote to lay a tile drain in the water course south of Marble street, from the drain in land of James Blenkhorn 100 feet westerly from Main street, westerly over private land in the center of said water course to the land of Wesley N. Gray, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 57. To see what action the town will take in the matter of claim of Maurice H. McKenna for alleged damages to his horse while travelling on Collincote street.

ART. 58. To see if the town will vote to repair Central street north of Elm street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 59. To see if the town will vote to locate an electric arc light at the corner of Franklin street and Pleasant street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 60. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sums received by taxation of private property, assessed on such property by reason of destroying the eggs, pupæ and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths by the town, said appropriation to be expended the present year for the same purpose; and all such sums expended to be assessed upon the owners of property benefited.

ART. 61. To see what sum of money the town will appropriate for the maintenance of sewers the year ensuing.

ART. 62. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars for street railings the year ensuing.

ART. 63. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred dollars for repairs to concrete walks the year ensuing.

ART. 64. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars to purchase five snow plows, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 65. To see if the town will vote to erect a shed in the yard used by the water and sewer departments, and raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars for the same.

ART. 66. To see if the town will vote to repair Main street, between Central square and Hancock street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 67. To see if the town will vote to construct a surface drain in and through Summer street and Hancock street, from a point about one hundred and fifty feet south of the northerly end of Summerhill street to the drain in Hancock street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 68. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars to treat Franklin street and Marble street with Tarvia or some suitable road binder.

ART. 69. To see if the town will vote to concrete the sidewalk on the southerly side of Montvale avenue, from Wright street easterly to the existing concrete walk thereon, under the provisions of Chapter

49. Section 43 of the Revised Laws, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

And you are directed to have three hundred and twenty-five copies of this warrant printed, and to serve the same by posting up twenty-five attested copies as follows, viz: – One upon each Schoolhouse and Meetinghouse in said town, and the residue of said twenty-five copies in conspicuous public places in different sections of the town, seven days at least before the time for holding said meeting, and by publishing a duly attested copy of said warrant in some newspaper published in the town, the last publication to be not less than three days before said meeting. The remaining three hundred copies of this warrant you are required to have at the place and time of meeting as aforesaid for distribution.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-first day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

ARTHUR N. NEWHALL,
CHARLES F. BUCK,
GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

A true copy, Attest: SUMNER H. GREEN, Constable.

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